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CAPITAL NOTES.

Hon. Theodore Davie Hunting Up the Census Statistics of British Columbia.

Death of Mr. Toussaint Trudeau—Rates From Maritime Provinces to Australia.

(From our own Correspondent.)

OTTAWA, June 27.—L. K. Jones, for many years in the Department of Railways and Canals, has been promoted to the chief clerkship.

Premier Davie, of British Columbia, had an interview with Statistician George Johnson to-day regarding the British Columbia census. Mr. Johnson showed him conclusively that the Federal enumeration of the population of the Province was approximately correct, nevertheless the department will continue to make an abstract of the names of the white people of the Province from the returns, as requested by the Provincial Government. Mr. Davie also wants the birth places of the father and mother stated.

The Canadian Pacific are quoting very low rates on experimental shipments of dried fish and canned lobsters from the Maritime Provinces to Sydney, N.S.W.

The new French colony and bounty system having diverted all the trade of the French West Indian islands to France, the Government has authorized the Canadian steamers to call at the Danish Island of St. Croix in place of Guadaloupe. The change is expected to be a beneficial one.

The Ottawa electric street railway has declared a dividend of eight per cent.

T. Trudeau, Deputy Minister of Railways and Canals, died this morning after two days' illness. A week ago he was presented with a portrait of himself by his old departmental associates. He was universally liked. Mr. Trudeau was born in Montreal September 28, 1826, and married the daughter of the late Louis Perrault, of Montreal. He was appointed Deputy of the Minister of Public Works in May, 1868. He was previously, for a short period, Secretary to the Department of Public Works, being subsequently Chief Engineer; and from March, 1864, to the Union, Deputy Commissioner of Public Works. He was a Commissioner of the Intercolonial Railway in 1874, being later Secretary to the Railway Committee of the Privy Council, and was appointed Deputy May 20, 1879.

ARMENIAN AFFAIRS.

The Turkish-Asian Arrests Brought Up in the House of Commons.

A Conspicuous Turkish Official Said to Have Been Murdered.

LONDON, June 27.—In reply to questions asked the Government in the House of Commons to-day, Sir Alfred Grey, Parliamentary Secretary of Foreign Affairs, stated that the Government had reason to hope that the Sultan would remit the sentences pronounced against the 17 Armenians who had been condemned to death for alleged participation in the seditious rioting that occurred at Caesarea and Marsovan, Turkish Asia, last spring.

CONSTANTINOPLE, June 27.—The report is current that more arrests of Armenians have been made at Marsoval. Shortly after the arrests were made, a conspicuous Turkish official was murdered, presumably because he was suspected of spying on the Armenians and securing the arrests in question. An Imperial order just issued states that Armenian officials in Constantinople meet frequently under the presidency of Artin Pasha, to consult as to the means of stopping the popular agitation in the Armenian provinces. The Sultan believes that the Armenians in Constantinople have sought secretly and have obtained the support of Armenian committees in foreign capitals, notably in London.

Grain Shipments from 'Frisco.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 27.—Thus far this month only seven ships have left this port for Europe with grain. There have been no departures since the 18th. There is a small bark in the stream with her cargo aboard, and four vessels are at Port Costa loading. The difficulty of selling grain bills operates to prevent activity.

FIGHTING IN BURMAH.

Mohammedans and Troops Come in Collision Over a Prohibited Festival.

RANGOON, Burmah, June 27.—For several days the Moslems were preparing to celebrate a religious festival on Sunday. They were forbidden by Mr. Fleming, the British magistrate, to sacrifice a cow near the Hindoo temple. When the police appeared near the temple with the announcement the Mohammedans began stoning them. The police charged without firing, but the Mohammedans held their ground stubbornly and fought back with sticks and stones. Fleming and several policemen were wounded. The police charged again without effect. Fleming then ordered them to fire. A volley was delivered at close quarters. Twenty Mohammedans fell and many more were wounded severely. The Mohammedans still refused to disperse, and the military was called out. Four companies charged on the double quick with fixed bayonets. The Mohammedans dispersed slowly, and still fighting, although many were wounded in the charge of the troops. They had hardly been dispersed before they reassembled in another street. A desultory fight between them and the troops then ensued. Many Mohammedans and Hindoos were killed and scores wounded. The regulars being regarded as unequal to subduing them, volunteers were called upon to do duty in the streets.

TORONTO TOPICS.

Grand Lodge of United Workmen—Maximum Rates of Assessment Fixed.

Convicted Under the Insurance Act—Campbell's Heresy—A Naughty Evangelist.

(Special to the COLONIST.)

TORONTO, June 27.—After a long debate yesterday in the A.O.U.W. Grand Lodge, the maximum rate assessment for the next three years, for the various jurisdictions was decided as follows: Pennsylvania Grand Lodge, $30; Ohio, $30; Kentucky, $30; Indiana, $30; Iowa, $17; New York, 30; Missouri, $27; Minnesota, $19; Wisconsin, $26; Tennessee, $20; Michigan, $19; California, $30; Georgia and Alabama, $30; Kansas, $16; Maryland, $22; Ontario, $26; Oregon, $28; Massachusetts, $16; Texas, $30; Nevada, $28; Colorado, New Mexico and Arizona, $25; Nebraska, $16; the Dakotas, $16; Montana, $23; Washington, $29; New Jersey, $20; British Columbia, $20; Manitoba and the Northwest Territory, $16; Utah, Wyoming and Idaho, $22; Deleware, $17; Supreme Lodge jurisdictions, $30.

James R. Allen, representing the Supreme Lodge of the Sexennial League, was found guilty in the police court yesterday of a charge laid under the Ontario Insurance Corporation Act of 1892, of collecting money on behalf of the said league and transmitting the same to the United States, such league not being duly and legally instituted according to law. He was fined $20 and costs.

The Montreal correspondent of the Empire says he learns that Prof. Campbell's resignation is expected by the Presbyterian college staff. Should this prove to be the case, all the actions regarding hersey brought against him will likely be dropped until the meeting of the General Assembly in St. John, N B, next year.

Andrew J. Hough, a Buffalo, N Y., evangelist, was arrested here last night at the instance of Mr. Thompson, coal and wood dealer, of Buffalo, charging him with having criminal relations with Mr. Thompson's wife. The woman has also been placed under arrest. She was a teacher in Hough's mission. Hough and Mrs. Thompson have been running a restaurant for some months past.

CANADIAN NEWS.

[Special to the COLONIST.

Breach of Sunday Law.

KINGSTON, June 27.—The steamer Columbian, of the Richelieu and Ontario Navigation Co., carried an excursion party to Oswego, N.Y., last Sunday. This is considered a violation of the Ontario Act—a desecration of the Sabbath—and action will be entered against those who took part and against the company.

Threatened Penitentiary Outbreak.

KINGSTON, June 27.—About 100 prisoners at the penitentiary threatened to revolt yesterday owing to the bad quality of the potatoes supplied them at dinner. At a given signal the convicts dashed down their plates and made threats of what they would do if the matter of better food was not attended to. The whole prison staff was on the scene in short order and the difficulty quieted before anything serious occurred.

The U. S. and Canadian Canals.

OTTAWA, June 27.—Complaints having been made that the Canadian Government is continuing its discriminations against the United States in the use of the Dominion canals, the Minister of Railways says that the statement is absolutely false, and challenges the production of any evidence of a case where the same rule regarding tolls has not been applied to both American and Canadian vessels alike. No rebates have been given in favor of transhipping at Kingston, thus discriminating against Ogdensburg, as alleged.

Disastrous Hail Storm.

TORONTO, June 27.—Later reports from the cyclone of Sunday state that at the same time a disastrous hail storm broke over Oakville, destroying almost all the crop of fruit in a radius of six miles. The majority of the fruit-growers of the district expect to realize little or nothing out of their orchards this season in consequence of the destruction done to what promised to be a fine crop.

Just arrived—direct importations from England—Players' Plug Navy, cut, at Morris, Colonist block. je22

SONTAG'S BREAK.

His Unsuccessful Strike for Liberty—Believed to be Fatally Injured.

Several Convicts Killed—None of Them Succeed in Effecting Their Escape.

SACRAMENTO, Cal., June 27.—There was a wild break for liberty this afternoon at Folsom prison. George Sontag led a crowd of eleven prisoners. They had in some way procured two Winchesters and three pistols, and at an opportune moment, when all the conspirators were gathered in a quarry near the power house, they seized Lieutenant of the Guard Blair and started to drag him with them. They had not progressed far when fire was opened upon them from various guards. The convicts had procured plenty of ammunition, and hiding behind the rocks returned the fire, but they were not expert shots and none of the bullets struck the guards, although the leaden missiles hummed about the guard-houses in perilous proximity. Sontag, who held a rifle in his hands, was blazing away when a bullet from one of the guard-houses struck him near the heart. He fell at once and is believed to be mortally wounded. The battle raged furiously and the greatest excitement prevailed. Three men were killed, and Wesland and Williams, who are life termers, were the next to fall. Both died instantly. Dalton, another convict, dropped a second later. Three others of the desperate prisoners were shot, all probably fatally, the wounds being near vital parts. The convicts who escaped the bullets of the guards lost heart at the sight of the carnage all around them and the firing soon ceased. A detachment of guards with rifles repaired to the fastnesses among the loose hills of granite and captured the survivors, who, together with the wounded, were brought into the prison, none of them escaping. "We are ready to fight the earth," exclaimed Warden Ault, as he related the thrilling story of the battle, "and if any more of the prisoners think they can escape let them come on!" That none of the guards were killed seems almost miraculous. How the prisoners managed to smuggle in the arms is a mystery upon which Warden Ault is working. Coroner Clarke will go to Folsom in the morning to hold an inquest on the three dead convicts.

THE SILVER QUESTION.

Effects of the Action of the Indian Government—What Secretary Carlisle Says.

Lord Lansdowne's Statement—Cincinnatti Bankers Meet—Questions in the House of Commons.

CINCINNATI, June 27.—At a conference of bankers at the Board of Trade and Transportation last evening on the silver question, resolutions were adopted favoring an early session of Congress, the immediate repeal of the Sherman bill and the putting in of one hundred cents of silver in a silver dollar. A majority of the leading bankers of the city were present. A "go-slow-with-reform" sentiment was expressed outside of the resolution.

WASHINGTON, June 27.—One effect of the action of the Government of India has been to renew the demand for an early session of Congress, and this view of the situation was presented to Secretary Carlisle this morning, by many of his congressional callers and by numerous telegrams from all sections of the country. Before going to the cabinet Secretary Carlisle received a telegram from London announcing a further decline in the price of silver to 35 pence. At this price a silver dollar is worth 58¾ cents. Senator Dolph, of Oregon, who is the only Pacific senator in the city, said this morning: "I am opposed to my colleagues, as you know, on this subject of free coinage, and am in favor of maintaining all the currency on a par with gold, but it seems to me this action of the Indian Government will diminish instead of increase the prospects of passing a repeal of the Sherman bill by the Senate. I think the effect will be to make thoughtful members of Congress hesitate before they further depreciate the value of silver by suddenly throwing upon the markets of the world, 4,450,000 ounces of silver, equivalent to nearly the whole American product, now purchased and stored by the Government. I do not know that anything better than the repeal of the Sherman act can be done to relieve the situation, but I am fearful that the repeal of that act would be disastrous to the finance of the Government and to silver."

SIMLA, June 27.—In explaining to the Indian council the bill providing for the stoppage of the free coinage of silver and other monetary measures, the adoption of which was announced yesterday, the Marquis of Lansdowne, viceroy of India, said he hoped the Government will not be criticized for disposing of the important question at a single sitting; the keynote of the scheme was rather to prevent a further fall in exchange rather than a rise in the value of the rupee. He hoped the action of the Government would be fruitful in good results, and that a sufficient reserve of gold would be accumulated to make an effective gold standard possible.

LONDON, June 27.—In the House of Commons to-day, Mr. Robert Leake asked the Government whether, now the value of the rupee having been artificially raised by the closing of the Indian mints to the free coinage of silver, compensation would be given to those persons in India who had entered into contracts to pay rupees without knowing that free coinage would be stopped and the value of the rupee raised. Were the people of India, he further asked, consulted in the matter?

Mr. Gladstone replied that all measures modifying a state currency may affect pecuniary values and influence current transactions, but he was not aware that it had ever been the usage to make alterations subject to compensation, and he did not see how such a usage could be beneficially established. Continuing, Mr. Gladstone said he was confident that the Government was using all the means in its power to ascertain the public sentiment.

Right. Hon. G. J. Goschen, Chancellor of the Exchequer in Lord Salisbury's late cabinet, asked if the Government of India had the power to coin rupees as the need arose.

Mr. Gladstone replied that if the Government's published reports were not clear on the subject he would ask the Indian Government concerning it. He had little doubt what the answer would be.

THE CARAVELS.

Arrival of the Columbian Squadron at Toronto—The Officers Entertained By the City.

TORONTO, June 27.—(Special)—The Spanish caravels, Santa Maria, Pinta and Nina, arrived here at 8 o'clock this morning. They were towed to an anchorage off Centre Island park. The Spanish vice-consul boarded the Santa Maria and paid his respects to Capt. Conegars, after which they both went ashore and waited on Lieutenant-Governor Kirkpatrick. On the captain's return to his ship the Mayor and aldermen went aboard and were shown over the vessel. The officers of the caravels were then taken on a trip about the city. The vessels will leave for the Welland canal early to-morrow morning.

BEHRING SEA.

U. S. Counsel Phelps' Extraordinary Statements as to the American Seal Herds.

American Property Interests Demand That There Should be Ample Protection.

PARIS, June 27—Hon. E. J. Phelps resumed to-day his closing argument before the Behring Sea tribunal of arbitration. He examined the assertions made by British counsel that the seals from the Pribyloff Islands intermingled with those from the Commander Islands. He traced upon the map and commented on the respective migratory routes as printed in the United States argument. Mr. Phelps contended that the testimony of the British Commissioners, sealers and furriers was far from proving that intermingling of the herds occurs, on the contrary he held the evidence was conclusive that the herds did not mix with each other. Lord Hannen, one of the British arbitrators, and Sir Charles Russell, frequently interrupted Mr. Phelps during the course of his address.

Mr. Phelps contended that the British claim that the Pribyloff Island seals wintered on the British Columbian coast was not supported by the evidence, and the claim was directly opposed to the migratory habits of the seals. The evidence submitted by Great Britain that some seals were impregnated while at sea, was also completely disproved. All trustworthy evidence supported the American claim that the seals were begotten, born and reared on the islands, remaining there seven months in the year and returning there with unfailing regularity. These facts, coupled with the protection of the husbandry of seals, gave the United States such property in the herds as entitled the Government to protect the speces against extermination.

ENGLISH NOTES.

Edward Blake Says He Has No Thought of Resigning His Seat—Canadian Cattle.

LONDON, June 27.—The statement published by the Scotsman that Hon. Edward Blake feels the strongest dissatisfaction with the state of affairs in the Irish Parliament; that he finds that his advice counts for nothing owing to personal jealousy; that no useful purpose is served by his presence at Westminster, and therefore he is anxious to resign his seat, should be regarded as a specimen fiction of the Unionist press. Mr. Blake says he has no thought of resigning.

The City of Quebec issued £313,000 four per cent. debentures at 97.

Canadian cattle in the Scotch market met a slightly better demand for best quality, but clearance was not made last week. Swan & Son say that hitherto there has not been the slightest indication of disease amongst the cattle slaughtered. At Shield Hall, Deptford, to-day, rates were maintained; 872 Canadians fetched three shillings and ten pence three shillings and eleven pence per eight pounds.

CHOLERA PROSPECTS.

Deaths in Mecca Increasing—American Chances of Escaping a Visitation.

LONDON, June 27.—Cholera advices from Mecca show that there were 99 deaths from the disease in that city yesterday. This is the largest number yet reported during the present epidemic.

WASHINGTON CITY, June 27.—Surgeon-General Wyman, of the Marine hospital service, referring to the outlook for cholera in the United States during the present summer, said, "We have an even chance of escaping the cholera altogether this year. Should it arrive it will certainly not become epidemic. Its non-appearance thus far proves that no germs have lived over the winter in this country, as it was feared might happen. The prospect now is much better than I expected it would be at this time, however, it should not be forgotten that the disease did not reach the United States last year until August. There is plenty of time for it yet."

To be Deported From Philadelphia.

PHILADELPHIA, June 27.—U.S. Commissioner Edmunds, this afternoon, decided that Lee Kee, a Chinese laborer, "is unlawfully within the United States, and directed that he be removed to China at the cost of this government." A half dozen Mongolians were recently arrested for violating the restriction law and Lee Kee's case was selected as a test. Of the 1,500 Chinamen in Philadelphia, nine hundred have registered. What disposition will be made of the remaining 600 is not known.

NEWS OF THE PROVINCE.

Crop Prospects Brightening Daily in the Lower Fraser Districts.

Rich Strike on Glacier Creek—Mines on Boundary Creek Bonded.

(Special to the COLONIST.)

WESTMINSTER.

NEW WESTMINSTER, June 27.—The injunction against the city vs. the C.P.R., to restrain the company from blocking up the junction of Thirteenth street and Queens Avenue came up to-day, but the C.P.R. counsel not being ready for a week an interim injunction was issued to hold good in the meantime.

Strawberries are ripening fast since the bright weather set in and promise an immense yield especially of the late varieties.

The first batch of salmon will be preserved by the Westminster and Port Haney Freezing Co., to-morrow by a new English process, which it is claimed will keep fish perfectly fresh for sixty days. Half a ton will be experimented on to begin with. Indians are coming in very fast to assist in the salmon fishing. There will be more Siwashes at work this season, than ever before, the new canneries offering much extra employment.

Warden Moresby will spend his two months leave of absence in Alaska and along the Northern coast. He is pulling together again pretty well, but is by no means completely recovered. Provincial Constable Calbeck has come over from Moodyville to relieve him.

Reports from Lulu Island say that the crops there are coming along splendidly and will be a good average yield after all. From other parts of the district the reports are not so favorable, but the condition of things will not be so bad as was generally predicted about the beginning of the month. All kinds of grain and vegetables have made wonderful strides in the last ten days.

NANAIMO.

NANAIMO, June 27.—At the regular meeting of the City Council, Alderman McKinnon introduced a by-law to provide for an overdraft of $10,000.

A public meeting will be held on Thursday evening to discuss the proposed by-law for the re-survey of the city.

The gunboat Quadra left, this afternoon, for Victoria.

At Howe Sound yesterday the Quadra recovered one of the Fraser River buoys, No. 3.

The chain for "Alarm" at Active Pass will be repaired by the chief engineer.

Arrived—steamer Romulus.

CLOVERDALE.

CLOVERDALE, June 26.—On Friday, June 23, the closing exercises of the Clover Valley public school were held, at which a large number of the parents and friends were present. The school room had been very tastefully decorated solely by the children. Mr. Galbraith, one of the trustees, publicly examined the school, and expressed himself well pleased with the answers. The promotions were then awarded as follows:

From 4th to 5th—Carrie McMillan, Jessie Murphy, Minnie Starr, Fred McElmon, Jas. McMillan, Clyde McElmon, Bertha Bowell, Sidney Richmond and Reuben Green.

From 3rd to 4th—Annie Richmond, Maggy Sullivan, Mary Sullivan, Cornelia Galbraith, Gertie Galbraith and John Shannon.

The following rolls of honor were presented: General proficiency, Thos. Shannon; regularity and punctuality, Fred. McElmon; deportment, Jessie Murphy.

Thos. Shannon having successfully passed the entrance examination for the High School, was presented with his certificate.

A short programme by the pupils was then given, and after a few remarks by visitors the meeting was closed.

On Saturday the new Trustee Board met, and after routine unanimously decided to re-engage their old teacher, Mr. Matthew, for another year.

Tenders for the new school-house will be opened on June 28, and work will, it is hoped, be begun by the beginning of July.

KASLO.

KASLO, June 21.—Confidence in the future importance and prosperity of Kaslo is not allowed to deteriorate during these comparatively dull times by the wide-awake citizens within its confines. Within the past few weeks events have been assuredly shaping themselves more than ever in favor of the town, and with the establishment of powerful manufactories and the influx of capital there is good reason to doubt why this desirable state of affairs should not continue. In the first place there are the sampling works. W. McGregor has received the contract for erecting the wharf and the main buildings, and he will lose no time in proceeding with his job, as it is imperative that the machinery shall be in operation by August. During the week a large gang of men have been employed constructing a road round the bay to the works, and this is almost completed. Then, again, there is a well defined rumor in circulation, emanating from Victoria, that a powerful syndicate of Montana capitalists are negotiating for the purchase of certain lands on the water front, and north of the sawmill, for certain purposes the nature of which they refuse to disclose at present. Turning to railway affairs, there is an improvement noticeable, a marked surprise and cheering. The Kaslo-Slocan people have the right of way cleared now for about four miles, and there is every indication that the good work will go on. Last week brought out the announcement of a C. P. R. telegraph line from Revelstoke to Nelson, via New Denver and Kaslo, while this week's developments are decidedly satisfactory. It is semi-officially given out that the Nelson & Fort Sheppard Railway Co. in order to circumvent the interruption to the traffic in winter by the freezing up of the southwest arm, will extend their road beyond Nelson, to Balfour, thus affording a sure avenue for the transportation of merchandise. This, in itself, is an apparently insignificant circumstance, but taken with a statement published in a Spokane paper, there is a halo of importance surrounding it. In conversation with a prominent Spokane gentleman, Mr. Van Horne, manager of the C.P.R., recently stated that this road would have trains running into the city before many months had passed. He further stated that the Nelson & Fort Sheppard road would be the connecting link to effect this. The programme of the C.P.R. as mapped out in the interview with Mr. Van Horne, consists of the building of a railway from Revelstoke to New Denver via Kaslo, the use of the Kaslo-Slocan road to this city, and the construction of a line from there to Balfour. This arrangement of routes is given absolute credence by Spokane capitalists and business men generally. Another reason for confidence in Kaslo's future is the manner in which the various religious denominations are seeking to erect for themselves neat and attractive structures. That of the Presbyterian body, on the corner of B avenue and Fourth street, was commenced Wednesday by the contractors, McLean & McIntosh, whose price therefor was $347. The Episcopalians, also, are working to secure funds to erect a building. At a meeting last Friday night an influential committee was appointed to wait on the Townsite Company to obtain a free building site and to solicit subscriptions in support of a minister's stipend. The Methodists and Roman Catholics will also endeavor to build this summer. A number of smaller buildings are going up in various directions. There will not be found a business man in the place who has not the fullest confidence in Kaslo, both as the distributing centre for the mines and a safe place for investment.

It is confidently believed that Kaslo will receive its incorporation papers early next month.

J. C. Drewry, of the Toronto Globe; J. T. Wilkinson, of the Vancouver World; and J. Bledsoe, of the COLONIST, have been in town during the past week on business in connection with their respective papers.

The Lardeau district is intensely excited because of the strike of a 20-foot ledge of gray copper and silver on Glacier creek, by two men named Evans and Davidson.

No ore has as yet come in, the road still being in an unfinished condition. The stages are running out beyond Sproule's, but it will be a long time before they can reach New Denver. Thousands of tons of ore are awaiting shipment at the mines, and much inconvenience is being experienced thereby. Very little work can be done at the higher mines, however, owing to the deep snow, which was further increased by several storms last week. Some of the mine owners say they will have ore coming in next week.

New strikes are reported on the Snowbird, Monte Cristo, Roadley, Lucky Jim and Grady, etch being much richer than anything before found.

Four men named Reno, Trison, D. and J. Buchanan had a narrow escape from drowning in East river in the Lardeau country last week. Their boat got jammed against a log, and in attempting to loosen it was upset by the current. They lost everything they had.

Tuesday afternoon A. Cameron's fine black driver broke its leg by falling over a stump near the school-house while running away. This meant a direct loss of $225 to the owner. Shortly after a false alarm of fire was turned in from the Lakeview Hotel, causing a panic among the boarders and citizens generally.

Monday night a lamp exploded in the Globe Cafe on Front street, narrowly escaping setting fire to the premises.

The main tunnel in the Loto, owned by J. Winchester, is now in 110 feet, with the vein three feet wide. The ore assays 206 ounces in silver and $12 in gold.

The big Minneapolis syndicate, which has been so much talked of of late, has thrown up the bond of the New Denver townsite and will stick to Four-Mile city.

F. H Pollard discovered a rich specimen of galena close to Kaslo on Tuesday. Unfortunately it proved to be only a slide. An effort is being made to locate the mother lead.

Specimens of ore brought in from the country south of Kaslo on Monday have assayed 600 ounces. The ledge was on the south fork of the Kaslo river.

J. H. East and Geo. Simmons have bonded a gold proposition on Boundary creek to a Boston syndicate for $20,000, and are negotiating for the bonding of two more in the same district and to the same concern for $100,000.

A young lady stopping at the Adams House had a watch and purse, containing $23, stolen on Friday morning last.

Weekly concerts are to be given by the ladies of the Presbyterian church to raise funds to furnish the new building.

DONALD.

DONALD, B.C., June 25.—After mass and service at 10:30 a.m. to-day, there was a regular meeting of the parishioners at the Roman Catholic church in order to break ground at once and build a pastoral residence for Rev. Father Joseph, who has been appointed for the last two months pastor of the district on the C.P.R. between Hector and Sicamous. The collectors have on hand already $300, a very good showing for Donald; and they are justified in beginning at once the modest little house for their pastor. They have not yet collected all, and it is expected that they will, with what is still coming, be able to finish the house and furnish it neatly. They only intend to build a $400 or $500 house to begin with. The building committee for the new pastoral residence are the pastor, as chairman, Mr. Joe Nielan, Mr. Laysin, Mr. Baker, Mr. C. Deschesne, and Mr. Paquette.

REVELSTOKE.

REVELSTOKE, June 25.—Mrs. Tom Brennan and several other kind ladies of the parish, are busy collecting to build a Roman Catholic church at Revelstoke. They have already a few hundred dollars in cash, and they will at once start building. Their pastor, Rev. Father Joseph (who, by the way, is quite a speaker in the English language), will give two Sundays of the month to Revelstoke for services. The rev. father's policy is to pay as his people build. He is an out and out enemy of church debts.

(From the Kootenay Star.)

John Thompson, a road surveyor for Revelstoke division, is making a trail to the groups of mines near the head of Lardeau creek and another to the mines at the north end of Trout lake.

At the public examination of Revelstoke school, held on the 23rd, the rolls of honor were awarded to Ruth Valentine for proficiency, Lily Valentine for deportment, and Willie Beavo for regularity. After the distribution of the reports, ice cream, oranges, cakes and nuts, were given around through the kindness of the trustees. School will re-assemble on August 14.

The contract for clearing the right of way for the Revelstoke & Arrow Lake railway has been awarded to J. Nickson, who will commence work at once.

Sam Underhill came up from the Lardeau on Monday with a fine collection of furs, the results from his traps during the winter. The skins included ten black bears, ten mountain goats, two wolves, one grizzly bear, one otter (very large), and seventy-two marten. One of the wolf skins was a beauty, and was furnished by the wolf that killed Mr. Underhill's dog.

Important Notice.

The old and well-known firm of Lange & Co., Watchmakers and Jewelers, have removed their place of business from Government street to No. 86 Douglas street, where they will continue to sell off their stock at cost. All repairs of watches, and other orders sent us will be attended to as usual. *

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FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL.

Stocks in New York—Wall Street Feverish and Unsettled—Closing Firm.

Henry Clew's Circular—Effect of the Clearing House Certificates—Confidence Recovering.

NEW YORK, June 27.—The stock market opened feverish and unsettled, but outside of general electric, which declined 2¼ to 65¼, the losses were confined within a range of ¼ to 1 per cent. The fact that the banks did not think it necessary to take out additional Clearing House loan certificates, and the knowledge that currency shipments to the West had practically ceased, encouraged the bulls to assume more aggressive tactics. The shorts were considerably alarmed, and their purchases accelerated the upward movement. Later in the afternoon there was a reaction of ¼ to 1¼ per cent., but the decline brought in a fresh batch of buying orders and a partial recovery ensued. The sales reached 279,519 shares. The market closed firm in tone. Closing bids: Atchison, 22⅞; Central Pacific, 24½; Denver and Rio Grande, 13; Wells Fargo, 130; Great Northern, preferred, 109½; North American, 8⅝; Northern Pacific, 13½; do. preferred, 33⅞; North Western, 104¼; Oregon Navigation, 55; Oregon Improvement, 10; Pacific Mail, 18⅛; Texas Pacific, 6¼; Union Pacific, 26⅛; Western Union, 82; Canadian Pacific, 76½.

In his Wall Street circular, dated New York, June 17, Henry Clews says: "Affairs in Wall street are in an oscillating condition. Although the improvement in tone and confidence that set in last week is still maintained, yet a series of small disturbances have one after another come to the surface, which have prevented the realization of any fixed and important advance in the value of securities. Even the most favorable events seem to have a dark side, which counteracts their influence. The active forwarding of Western produce for export, whilst it has stopped the export of gold, has also had the effect of drawing very large amounts of currency to the interior, and the local money market has consequently become unsettled. This demand for currency, however, seems to have passed its climax. The flurry in the money market is likely to soon abate, and may possibly be followed by some months of comparative ease. Even should it turn out that the West wants still further amounts of cash from this centre, the inference should be anything but discouraging. For such withdrawals mean the marketing of a vast sum of products, which will ease the loan markets, diminish the tension in credits, quicken the movements of trade, and relieve the foreign exchanges by the transfer of said products to foreign countries.

"The chief trouble in the situation is the continued extreme stringency in commercial discounts. This trouble has become very seriously urgent, and the natural tendency of the derangement is towards its own aggravation. Each denial of a discount creates an application for a discount elsewhere; lack of discounts in one section aggravates the necessity for accommodation in other sections; and thus the disease spreads with fatal rapidity throughout the whole country. Such a state of things cannot be allowed to run long without inviting widespread disaster. Most fortunate therefore is it that the Clearing House has decided to attack this malady at its chief centre. In authorizing the issue of Clearing House certificates, the banks have not aimed so much at protecting their own interests or reserves—except so far as those might be threatened through the suffering of others—as at making common cause for the purpose of extending accommodation to the commercial interests. The trade discounting banks are but a portion of the whole, and yet they are called upon to bear nearly the whole pressure of this urgent demand for commercial accommodation. In a similar way, the banks acting largely as correspondents for interior banks are subject to an extraordinary demand for rediscounts and for currency from their country customers, which greatly intensifies the derangement of credit in all sections. The issue of certificates makes all classes of banks mutual supporters of each other, and brings in the help of the powerful class whose accounts are with the large financial institutions, and with the private bankers and the Stock Exchange houses. The action of the Clearing House thus places the disordered credit situation under immediate control.

"It is the doubt as to the quality of our future money that has had an important influence in causing the return of our securities from abroad during the past year, thereby deranging the course of the foreign exchanges and producing the large loss of gold that has depleted the reserves of both the Treasury and the banks. This doubt being removed, there would be nothing to prevent a general recovery of confidence in our securities in Europe, with the probable consequence of a return of much of the gold we have lost, and a resulting restoration of the monetary strength of the banks and a general ease in credits. In view of these facts, we anticipate, from this time forward, a steady recovery of confidence, which will gain in strength with the course of events and the nearer approach of the assembling of Congress. This prospect may not produce any immediate extravagant recovery in prices of securities, but it will very legitimately strengthen the feeling of holders and should hold the pessimist operators in check."

Herz Not Quite Dead.

LONDON, June 27, — The announcement that Cornelius Herz was dead proves to have been premature. A dispatch from Bournemouth at 4:20 p.m. yesterday states that he is still alive, but that his condition is absolutely hopeless; in fact, at the time the dispatch was sent he was moribund.

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WANTS.

WANTED—A Jersey cow, sound and a good milker; also a few young pigs. "C.C.," COLONIST Office. je27-3t

WANTED—A strong, active girl for the Protestant Orphans' Home, Rae street. Apply to the Matron. je27

SHOEMAKER WANTED—Good opening in Duncan's Station; shop and three living rooms at low rent. Apply at Bazett's store. je27-5t

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WANTED—Four good lady canvassers to work on salary; expenses paid. Apply, stating experience, if any, to P.O. Box 331, Nanaimo, B.C. je25-4t

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WANTED—Baker; a good second hand. Apply Douglas Bakery, New Westminster, B. C. je22-8t

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TENDERS are invited for amusements and refreshment stand privileges at the Caledonian picnic, July 1. Address Archibald Reid, Hotel Victoria. jne 27-3t

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TO LET—Rooms (extra large), with or without board; a few vacancies will occur by 1st July. Apply at 82 Belleville street. je27-6t

TO LET—A two-story house of seven rooms, 32 Quebec street, James Bay; all modern conveniences. Apply on the premises. je25-6t

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NOTICE.

The partnership heretofore existing between John Coigdarripe and Luke Pither, carrying on business on Yates street, in the city of Victoria, under the firm name of Boucherat & Co., Wine and Spirit Merchants, was dissolved on the 1st day of April last, by mutual consent, Max Leiser having purchased the interest of John Coigdarripe, in the said firm.

The business of the firm will be continued by Messrs. Luke Pither and Max Leiser, upon the same premises, under the firm name of Pither & Leiser, successors to Boucherat & Co., and they have assumed all the liabilities of the old firm.

Dated this 14th day of June, '893.

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LUKE PITHER,
MAX LEISER.

WITNESS,
GEO. JAY, JR. je15

NOTICE.

MEMBERS of Far West Lodge No. 1, K. of P., are requested to assemble at 2 o'clock p.m., Sunday, the 25th inst., at Castle Hall, for the purpose of proceeding to the cemetery to decorate the graves of our departed brethren. Funeral badges will be worn.

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COURT OF REVISION.

Substantial Reductions Made Upon the Property Valuations of City Assessor Northcott.

A General Willingness Expressed to Sell at Less Than Assessed Values.

Shortly after 10 o'clock yesterday morning the business of the Court of Revision was begun, the Mayor presiding. The other members of the court present were Ald. Baker, Belyea and Styles. There was a large attendance of appellants and the general public, but the numbers dwindled down as the day advanced. The list is a long one, and will take some days to clear off. While all the appellants sought to have their assessments reduced, Hon. Amor De Cosmos alone applied to have his increased.

Louis Vigelius appealed against the assessment on three lots on Spring Ridge, corner Putnam and Chambers streets. They were assessed at $2,050, and appellant declared that he would be quite willing to accept a much lower figure for the property. It had been on the market for a considerable time, and all he had been offered was $1,350. He also objected to the assessment of two lots on Fernwood road, held by his wife. The Assessor put them down at $450 and $400 respectively, which was much in excess of the real value.

Assessor Northcott explained that other property in the district was assessed on the same basis: corner lots were put down at $700, and inside lots $650.

The assessment was reduced to $600 each for the two corner lots, and $500 for that inside.

With reference to the lots on Stanley avenue and Fernwood road, Mr. Vigelius swore that they were not worth more than $600 in all, He had paid $550 for the property when "times were good," and it was not now worth $50 more.

Reduced to $750.

Mrs. Leigh appealed against the assessment on eleven separate portions of property held by her in the Fowl Bay district. She said that the property was very much over assessed, as it was simply farming land brought within the city limits and assessed as city lots. She said she noticed that her neighbors only paid $550 per acre, while she had to pay on a valuation of $1,000 or $1,200.

The entries were taken up as made, and Mrs. Leigh consented to forego her claim for reduction on certain lots valued at $300, $200 and $250 respectively. One five acre lot assessed at $1,000 per acre was reduced to $750, five acres at $900 per acre were cut down to $700, three acres at $1,000 were brought down to $800, six acres from $1,200 to $1,000, and seven acres from $1,000 per acre to $900.

Senator Macdonald appealed against the assessment of his Douglas House property. It was set down by the Assessor at $19,590, but the Senator's estimate was $15,000. The lots were considered in detail and a total reduction made, which brought the total to $17,000. The Beckley farm property, assessed at $3,500 per acre, was reduced to $3,250.

Mr. B W. Pearse complained that he was assessed $3,725 more this year than last for his property on the Fernwood estate. Last year's assessment was $21,050 and so far from increasing in value he believed the property would not fetch the assessed value of twelve months ago.

The assessor explained that last year the property was assessed by the acre, but this year it was split up into lots.

It was decided to reduce the assessment 15 per cent., which would bring it down to last year's figures.

Eliza Miller appealed against the assessment of her property on Jubilee avenue, Fernwood road. Three corner lots were set down at $650 each, and an inside lot at $550.

Assessor Northcott said that all the property in the district was equally assessed.

Ald. Baker and Styles favored a reduction to $500 for corner lots and $450 for inside property.

The Mayor and Ald. Belyea favored the assessors figures, and then arose the question as to how the case was to be settled, the board begin equally divided on the point. It was ultimately decided to allow the assessment to stand.

Mr. John Weiler objected to the assessment put upon his property situate opposite the transfer stables, corner Broughton and Broad streets. Assessor Northcott valued the property at $20,200, while Mr. Weiler did not think it was worth half the money.

The assessment was the same as that of last year, and the court decided to allow it to stand.

Christopher Farrington appealed against the assessment of his property on Sydenham street and Lansdowne Road. He is assessed at $1,800 per acre, and swore that he considered it, at present, not worth more than $600 per acre. The court, however, accepted the assessor's valuation and the figures remained unchanged.

Ah Wing appealed against the assessment of his holding at Cormorant street, but he did not put in an appearance and the appeal was struck out.

Mr. John R. Giscombe objected to being assessed $1,100 for a lot at the head of Johnson street. He thought $800 would be ample.

The assessment was fixed at $1,000.

Mr. William Dalby objected to the assessment on his property, on the ground that a portion of it had been expropriated by the city last year. The property complained of is the plot of land expropriated for the extension of Broad street.

The assessor explained that he made the assessment before the land was expropriated.

The assessment was accordingly reduced in proportion to the amount of land taken by the city.

Hon. Amor De Cosmos protested that his property on Spring Ridge, through which two streets now run, is under-valued. The Assessor put them down at $1.

The Mayor—What is your valuation?

Mr. De Cosmos went into details. He explained that the property was worth $4,200 per acre, or $7,242 in all. He had spent $2,319 less $70, which was now under contract; the valuation of land and improvements ought to be set down at $9,551. He found that others had been paid by the city at the rate of $8,000 per acre—Mr. Rudland's quarter of an acre for instance.

The Assessor explained that Mr. De Cosmos brought the case to the Supreme court last year, and Mr. Justice Drake fixed the assessment at $1.

Ald. Belyea moved that the assessment be raised to $1,000.

Ald. Styles moved, seconded by Ald. Baker, that the Assessor's figures remain—a motion which prevailed.

Mr. De Cosmos entered a vigorous protest, and said he would be obliged to again appeal to the Supreme court for justice.

The Mayor—You have the right to appeal.

Mr. De Cosmos appealed against the assessment of his property on Broad and Pandora streets. A polluted stream ran through the place, which ruined the property—one lot, upon which a house stood, being untenantable in consequence. He asked that three lots be reduced from $33,000 to $30,000.

The Mayor tried to get Mr. De Cosmos to go into detail as to the value of each lot separately, but he would not do so.

After a good deal of discussion it was decided to allow the assessor's figures to stand.

Mr. Thomas Shotbolt objected to the assessment of his property near Russell station, Victoria West. There were seven lots in all, valued at $3,900, and two or three of the lots were cut through by the Esquimalt railway. The joint assessment was reduced to $3,000.

Capt. Collister asked for a reduction on the assessment of his property in Rock Bay and the Work Estate.

Seven of these lots on Ellis street were, by the court, reduced from $700 to $500 each, and a lot on the corner of the Gorge road from $1,200 to $1,000.

Mr. M. Bowman contended that he is over assessed for the wooden building on Fort street, between Quadra and Blanchard streets, adjoining the brewery. The house, he said, was old and uninhabitable, and yet it was assessed at $400 and the lot at $3,000.

The assessment on the building was reduced by half, and that on the land retained.

James Kaye appealed to have his assessment on two lots, corner Niagara and Menzies streets, reduced. The Assessor valued the land at $1,950, but appellant contended that $1,000 was sufficient.

The court refused to interfere with the Assessor's figures.

Mr. Langley appealed against the assessment of four and a half acres (Fairfield), which the Assessor set down at $2,500 per acre—$11,350 in all.

Assessor Northcott explained that he had increased the assessment on this property by $500 per acre.

It was agreed to go back to last year's assessment—$2,000 per acre.

The same appellant also objected to the assessment of his property on Bastion street and Chancery lane. The buildings had been idle for more than twelve months, and "improvements" were reduced from $800 each to $500 and $600 respectively. The land value was not altered—$2,750.

James Dwyer asked to have the assessment reduced on his Douglas street property, corner Cormorant. The assessor valued it at $16,650, and improvements at $1,100. Reduced to $15,000. A lot on Pandora street, assessed at $3,000, was reduced to $2,750 for Mr. Dwyer.

Mrs. Fassinario asked to have the assessment on her property in Waddington alley reduced. The assessor valued the property at $3,000—reduced to $2,500.

Capt. Jones objected to the assessment of property on the Finlayson estate—blocks 1 to 5, extending from Bay street to Queen's avenue. In the first lot the estate was assessed at $4,000 per acre, and Capt. Jones valued it at but $2,500 per acre. Section 2 was assessed at $3,000 per acre, and valued by Capt. Jones at $2,000. It was fixed at $2,250. Section 3 was valued by the assessor at $3,000 per acre, and by Capt. Jones at $2,000. Fixed at $2,250. Section 4 was assessed at $2,500, and was reduced by the court to $2,000. Section 5 was set down at $2,500 by Mr. Northcott, and by Capt. Jones at $1,500. It adjoins Chambers street This was put down at $2,000.

A series of 132 lots (six blocks) near Pembroke and Quadra streets, were assessed at various figures, and Capt. Jones asked an all-round reduction of $100 on each lot. It was agreed to reduce them $50 per lot—a total reduction of $6,600.

Forty-six acres, extending from Edmonton road to the City boundry, were assessed at $600 per acre. Captain Jones asked that this be reduced by $100 per acre, and the court decided to "split the difference" and make the assessment $550 per acre. A plot of 146 acres in the Cedar Hill district, assessed at $900 per acre—the same estate—was reduced from $900 to $850.

Mr. John Dean objected to the assessment of his property on Queen's avenue, Finlayson estate. It was set down at $1,000 and improvements at $2,000. The application of the Local Improvement system made what would otherwise be a good speculation to him a very poor one. Mr. Dean valued the property at $638, and explained that he had spent a considerable sum on making street improvements.

The land assessment was reduced to $700 and the improvements allowed to stand.

The Court adjourned until this morning at 10 o'clock.

SUPREME COURT.

IN CHAMBERS.

(Before Hon. Mr. Justice Crease.)

June 27, 1893.

Dumbleton v. Marvin—To have the sum of $4,000 paid to plaintiff. Adjourned by consent, to be heard before Mr. Justice Drake. Hon. C. E. Pooley, Q C., for plaintiff; E. V. Bodwell for defendant.

Attorney-General v. Hugitt and McIntyre—For further particulars. Adjourned by consent until 28th. Drake, Jackson & Helmcken for plaintiff; Bodwell & Irving for defendants.

Jackson v. Jackson & Mylius—To set aside judgment. Summons dismissed. Drake, Jackson & Helmcken for plaintiff; Belyea & Gregory for defendant Mylius.

Foot v. Mason and Nicholles—To have questions set out in extracts of examination answered. Adjourned. Summons referred back to Registrar. Costs to be costs in cause. Alan Dumbleton for plaintiff; D. M. Eberts, Q C., and C. D. Mason for defendants.

CORRECTION.

To the Editor:—In your news items this morning I notice that some forty candidates prepared for the *sacrament* of confirmation were presented to Bishop Perrin last Sunday afternoon at the cathedral. For the benefit of your readers allow me to say that the Church of England recognizes only *two sacraments*, viz: Baptism and the Supper of the Lord. Churchman.

Victoria, June 27, 1893.

A Forged Document.

Paris, June 26.—M. Norton, who is under arrest for forging the document partially published in Le Cocarde, and presented in the Chamber by M. Millevoye, confessed to-day that the documents had been forged by himself, and that the whole story of theft from the British Embassy's strong box was without the slightest foundation in fact.

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H. M. YATES,
Secretary.

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The Third Annual Meeting of the donors and subscribers to the Institution will be held at the City Hall, on Friday, the 30th day of June, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon.

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Secretary.

Care Yates & Jay, Bastion Street.
Victoria, B.C., 13th June, 1893.
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NOTICE is hereby given that we have deposited with the Minister of Public Works plan of a wharf upon our property, situated at Telegraph Bay, together with a description of the site; and that we have also deposited duplicates of the said plan and description with the Registrar General for the Province of British Columbia. Notice is further given, that one month after date, we shall apply to the Governor in Council for his approval of the said plans. R. P. RITHET, & CO., Ltd.

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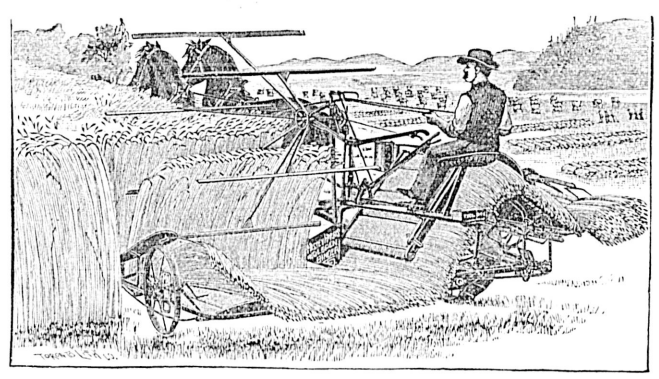

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PURSUANT TO THE "EXECUTION ACT, 1874"

In the Supreme Court of British Columbia.

James Holroyd, Plaintiff;
Eliza Ann Heywood (Administratrix with the will annexed of Joseph Heywood, deceased), Defendant.

IN OBEDIENCE to a writ of *fieri facias*, issued out of the Supreme Court of British Columbia, at Victoria, on the 20th day of May, 1893 and to me directed, of the estate, title and interest of the above-named Joseph Heywood, deceased, to levy $3,707.25, and $3 50 for costs of execution, etc., and also interest on $3,661.50 at six per centum per annum from the 5th day of May, 1893, until payment; also, the British Columbia Land and Investment Agency, Limited, v. Eliza Ann Heywood (Administratrix with the will annexed of Joseph Heywood, deceased) of the estate, title and interest of the above named Joseph Heywood, deceased, to levy $9,819.31, and $7.00 for costs of execution, &c., and also interest on $9,819 32 at six per centum per annum from the 1st day of May, 1893, until payment; also James Reid v. Eliza Ann Heywood (Administratrix with the will annexed of Joseph Heywood, deceased), of the estate, title and interest of the above-named Joseph Heywood, deceased, to levy $1,663.95, and $7 00 for costs of execution, &c., and also interest on $1 663.95 at six per centum per annum from the 2nd day of May, 1893, until payment; also, Cowan & Wilson v. Eliza Ann Heywood (Administratrix with the will annexed of Joseph Heywood, deceased), of the estate, title and interest of the above-named Joseph Heywood, deceased, to levy $3,912 67, and $7.00 for costs and execution, &c, and also interest on $3,912.67 at six per centum per annum from the 2nd day of May, 1893, until payment; also the Bank of British North America v. Eliza Ann Heywood (Administratrix with the will annexed of Joseph Heywood, deceased), of the estate, title and interest of the above-named Joseph Heywood, deceased, to levy $18,825.15, and $7.00 for costs of execution, etc., and also interest on $18,825.15 at six per centum per annum from the 1st day of May, 1893, until payment; besides Sheriff's poundage, fees and other expenses of the executions above-named. I have seized and will sell at public auction in front of my office, Court House, Bastion street, Victoria, on Tuesday, the 20th day of June, 1893, at 12 o'clock noon, the estate, title and interest in the lands above-named of the said Joseph Heywood, deceased, as described in this advertisement, or sufficient thereof to satisfy the said judgments and expenses of sale. Terms of sale, cash.

District	No. of Lot.	Concise description of property.	Estate or Interest.
Victoria City.	Lot No. 315	According Official Map	Fee simple. No incumbrance.
	Lot No. 21 Sec. X., Spring Ridge, Victoria District.	Fairfield Farm Estate Registerd as a Homestead (No. 48) in name of Joe Heywood.	Fee Simple. Lease dated April 12, 1860. Registered on 17th July, 1873. Fee simple.
	Part of Section IV., Victoria District.	4 acres, or thereabouts. Victoria District, except Lots 1, 5, 6, 15, 16, 17, 20 and 21, according to Map No. 162.	Mortgage in fee to secure payment of $9,000 to Henry S. Mason.

When to be Sold: Where to be Sold.

When to be Sold: Tuesday, June 20th, 1893. At the Sheriff's Office, Court House, Bastion Street, Victoria.

Judgments herein were registered in the Land Registry Office, Victoria, against the said lands the 1st day of March, 1893, and the 20th day of May, 1893.

J. E. McMILLAN,
Sheriff.

Land Registry Office, Victoria,
31st day of May, 1893, 3 o'clock p.m.

I hereby certify as follows:—

1. That excepting judgments (if any) no charge appears registered or applied for against Lot No. 315, Victoria City, the title to which is registered in the name of Joe Heywood.

2. That excepting judgments (if any) and the charge hereinafter mentioned, no charge appears registered or applied for against Lot No. 21, Fairfield Farm Estate, Victoria City, the title to which is registered in the name of Joe Heywood, subject to a certain lease, dated 12th April, 1860, and registered in charge book, vol. 2, fol 765, No. 493B.

3. That excepting judgments (if any) no charge appears registered or applied for against Section X., Spring Ridge, Victoria District (now City), the title to which is registered as a Homestead (No, 48) in the name of Joe He wood.

4. That excepting judgments (if any) the following is the only charge registered or applied for against part (4 acres, or thereabouts) of Section IV., Victoria District (now City), except Lots 1, 5, 6, 15, 16, 17, 20 and 21, according to Map No. 162, the title to which is registered in the name of Joe Heywood, viz.:—

18th March, 1892.—Joe Heywood to Henry S. Mason, mortgage in fee to secure payment of the sum of $9,000 on 18th March, 1893, and interest at 10 per cent. per annum Registered on 27th April, 1892, in charge book, vol. 10, fol. 322, No. 12,152B. An assignment of the above mortgage to the British Columbia Land and Investment Agency, Limited, is registered in charge book, vol. 11, fol. 31, No. 12,659B.

5. That no judgments appear registered against the real estate of Joe Heywood.

6 That the following judgment appears registered against all the real estate of Joseph Heywood and of Eliza Ann Heywood, Administratix of his estate, viz:—

Judgment of Supreme Court of British Columbia, obtained the 20th day of February, 1893, by James Holroyd against Joseph Heywood and Eliza Ann Heywood, Administratrix of his estate, for $3,628 90, debt, and $32.60 costs. Registered 1st March, 1893, in charge book, vol. 11 fol. 727, No. 13374B.

7 That the following judgments appear registered against all the real estate of Joseph Heywood, viz:—

Judgment of Supreme Court of British Columbia obtained 1st May, 1893, by James Reid against Eliza Ann Heywood as Administratrix with the will annexed of Joseph Heywood, deceased, for $1,629.50, debt, and $34.45 costs, registered 20th May, 1893, at 9:55 a.m., No. 32.

Judgment of said Supreme Court obtained the 2nd May, 1893, by Cowan & Wilson against Eliza Ann Heywood, as administratrix with the will annexed of Joseph Heywood, deceased, for $3,878.22 debt, and $34.45 costs, registered 20th May, 1893, at 9:55 a.m, No. 33.

Judgment of said Supreme Court obtained 1st May, 1893, by the British Columbia Land and Investment Agency, Limited, against Eliza Ann Heywood, as administratrix, with the will annexed of Joseph Heywood, deceased, for $9,781 86 debt and $34.45 costs, registered 20th May, 1893, at 9:55 a.m., No. 34.

Judgment of said Supreme Court obtained 1st May, 1893, by the Bank of British North America against Eliza Ann Heywood, as administratrix with the will annexed of Joseph Heywood, deceased, for $18,790.70 debt, and $34.45 costs, registered 20th May, 1893, at 9:55 a.m, No. 35.

[L.S.] C. J. LEGGATT,
Registrar-General.
Per S. Y. Wootton,
Deputy.

To J. E. McMillan, Esq.,
Sheriff.

This Sale is again postponed until Tuesday, the 4th day of July next, at the same hour and place.

J. E. McMILLAN,
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THE LAST REFUGE.

To show how true the definition of "patriotism" attributed to Dr. Johnston is, Mr. Mercier has transformed himself into a proclaimer of the wrongs and an assertor of the rights of the French race in Canada. This played-out Quebec politician has now time enough on his hands to exhume French grievances that have lain in the tomb for more than a century, and to manufacture others out of materials that are as near to nothing as matter can possibly be. After more than a century of British rule, when men of both races have come to believe that French Canadians are as loyal subjects of Queen Victoria as are English and Scotch Canadians, Mr. Mercier appears with a bundle of French grievances, the existence of which was not until now dreamed of by any one except, perhaps, Mr. Mercier himself.

The belief of Canadians in general is that the treatment of French Canadians by the British Government has been liberal in the extreme, that they enjoy all the liberties and privileges of Canadians of British extraction, and a good many more. It is commonly believed that it is impossible to find in history the record of a conquered people who have been treated more generously than the French inhabitants of Lower Canada. There has been no discrimination, except in their favor, between them and Canadians of British birth and British descent. It was supposed that intelligent French Canadians know and appreciate this. And some of them do. Did not Sir George E. Cartier describe himself as an Englishman who spoke French, and Sir Oliver Mowat, in his speech at the opening of the late Liberal Convention, quotes a French Canadian Roman Catholic Archbishop as saying: "I was born and raised in the British possessions and my allegiance is to the Crown of England, and my heart and conscience would repel anything contrary to those obligations. I am a British subject, and am happy to live under the glorious flag of the Empire, and I desire this noble standard to continue to fly and to give protection to my co-religionists generally."

The Hon. Mr. Laurier, though not remarkable for making frequent or loud professions of loyalty, said at that convention, "I am loyal to the British Crown. I have often repeated in the Province of Quebec, and I am happy to repeat it to-day, when so many of my fellow subjects of French origin are present, that we owe a debt of gratitude to the British Crown for the way in which it has treated us in the last fifty years." The very circumstance that Mr. Laurier, a man of French descent, has been chosen by the Liberal representatives of all the provinces to be the leader of one of the two great political parties into which the people of Canada are divided, shows not only the liberality of the Constitution under which Canadians live, but the absolute equality that exists in this Dominion as between races and creeds. Mr. Laurier and Mr. Mercier both know that they and their countrymen of French descent are better treated, and enjoy more freedom and a greater number of political privileges, than if they had been the inhabitants of a French colony. Great Britain has advanced further in the art of colonization than any nation in the world, and the condition of British colonists, of all origins, is to-day better in every way than the colonists of any other nation under the sun.

When Mr. Honore Mercier tries to foment discontent among French Canadians, he and they know well that they have no cause of complaint. If they are badly governed the fault is their own. If they are cursed with venal politicians who use the power that is placed in their hands, not for the general welfare, but for their own enrichment and their own aggrandizement, they have only themselves to blame. They have the power to treat such men as they treated Mr. Mercier himself. They can hurl them from power and place, and compel them to earn a living by honest or dishonest means without their aid. Mr. Mercier, finding himself unfit to maintain a high place among respectable politicians in a legitimate sphere, is now attempting by disreputable means to gain notoriety as a fomenter of discontent and as a stirrer-up of discord. Our belief is that he has fallen too low to achieve success in even this discreditable role.

It is to be regretted that inconsiderate and bigotted politicians of British descent have given such men as Mercier a pretext to work upon the race jealousies and religious antipathies of the French Canadians. It is these politicians who make agitators like Mercier possible. We are glad to see that their power of doing mischief is limited, for the simple reason that the people of Canada have too much good sense and good feeling to allow themselves to be influenced by the firebrands of any party or any creeds.

THE THREE R'S.

We find that it is not in the United States and Canada alone that the work of primary education is badly done. In England it is found that the three R's are very imperfectly taught, and that the boys who leave the Board schools, either to go into business or to continue their studies in the higher institutions of learning, have yet a great deal to learn in the branches in which they ought to have become proficient. In a late number of the London Echo we find the following testimony to the inefficency of the primary schools of England:

"Not long ago," said Mr. Burn, the superintendent of the Y. M. C. A. in Aldergate street, "I advertised for a clerk. I had between three and four hundred applications. The first glance of the addresses upon nine-tenths of them was quite enough for me—the hand-writing was so bad, I just handed over such letters to a clerk, asking him to return any postage stamps which they might contain. Well, out of the whole batch of 300 and more, I would select only fifteen that seemed worth the trouble. But when I examined the fifteen in detail, not one of them came up to the mark." It was only too obvious, continued Mr. Burn, that not one of them could ever learn to write a decently-grammatical and concise letter. What a reflection all this is on our system of national education. For observe the nature of the test which Mr. Burn's valuable experience accidentally supplies. If the three to four hundred had been the sum total of applications to a large number of offices scattered over the country, or over London, it would mean little or nothing as a sign of the condition of education; but the point is that the whole number was received by the head of a single establishment, and that not one of them came up to the mark. What are the board schools about?

We hardly think such an experiment would have the same result in Canada. We believe that a fair percentage of the three hundred letters would pass muster, although, no doubt, the great majority of them would be sadly below the mark. Some letters from candidates for the office of teacher, which we had the opportunity of seeing not very long ago, convinced us that a pretty severe drilling in the elementary branches of education would not do the writers the least harm.

STILL AT WORK.

Mr. Edward Farrar, the gentleman who assayed to write Canada into annexation but failed most conspicuously, is still at work. He now continues his attempts to promote the cause of annexation in the United States, using for his instrument the New York Sun. It is not likely that he will be more successful in New York than he was in Toronto. But he lives in hope. He believes that annexation has made headway among the Liberals both of Ontario and Quebec. Writing of the Liberal Convention a few days before it met he said:

A Liberal Convention, to be composed of delegates from every province in the Dominion, meets here on the 20th. Sir Oliver Mowat and his office holders have resolved to exclude the annexation question and get the convention to endorse a milk-and-water programme with loyalty to Britain at the forefront, but the French Liberals will not be put off in that way. One of them has been selected to move a resolution declaring for the political independence of Canada. Sir Oliver is a Tory at heart, and since he got his title from the colonial office has done as much shouting for the British flag as a professional Orangeman. The French Liberals, on the other hand, and a good many Liberals from Ontario have come to the conclusion that the time is ripe for independence, which is annexation by another name, and if they are overpowered by the reactionary element they will turn in and help the continental union men. There will probably be a five-cornered fight at the coming general election between the Tories, the Mowat Liberals, the Patrons, the McCarthyites, and the Continental Unionists backed by the advanced Liberals. But the first struggle to decide the future of Canada will be between the Continental party and the supporters of British connection within the other four. The evolution of these two sides is going on, and they will soon be face to face, provided Congress keeps its hands off the farm schedule of the McKinley tariff.

We are glad to see that Mr. Farrar does not take the trouble to attempt to deceive his readers as to the true nature of Canadian independence. It is, as he says, "annexation by another name." Much less able men than Mr. Farrar, but who consider themselves far more astute, declare loudly that independence for Canada has no connection with annexation whatever, and that those who say it does are ultra-loyalists, who want to scare Canadians by the cry of annexation. But here we have the man who has been the brains of the annexation agitation in Canada, boldly declaring that independence is a delusion, and to those who do not desire political union with the United States, a snare.

It is to be observed that Mr. Farrar is still of opinion that Canadians can be coerced into annexation by a hostile American tariff. We are surprised that so clever a man does not see that the McKinley tariff has had an effect exactly the opposite of that which he expects it to have in the future. It has made nearly the whole population of Canada greatly more opposed to union of any kind with the United States than they were before it was enacted. What is often said of individuals is emphatically true of Canadians as a people; "they may be led but they cannot be driven." The attempt to drive Canada into annexation by a hostile trade policy was a huge mistake, and we are surprised that Mr. Farrar does not yet see it in its true light.

Mr. Farrar was wrong in his prediction that the French Liberals would move a resolution at the convention in favor of independence. The committee on resolutions were too wide-awake, and understood the state of feeling in Canada too well to submit a resolution to the Convention in favor of what Mr. Farrar himself declares is only another name for annexation.

THE LIBERAL PLATFORM.

The full report of Mr. Laurier's speech gives the discerning reader no more information respecting the policy of the Liberal party than could be gleaned from the telegraphic abstract that reached us some days ago. His remarks on the tariff are general, and give the reader no idea of what he would do or could do if it were his duty both to revise the tariff and provide means for raising sufficient revenue to carry on the business of the country. It is easy before an uncritical audience to utter pleasant-sounding sentences about diminishing the burdens of the people and cutting down the expenditure of the Government to the lowest possible point, but it is a much more difficult business to decide what taxes shall be taken off, and what new ones shall be imposed. It is equally difficult to decide on what branches of the public service the pruning knife shall be sparingly or unsparingly used, or whose salaries shall be suppressed, or whose cut down. Mr. Laurier ought to know that with a large and hungry Liberal following, to attempt to keep down expenditure is a heart-breaking business. He, no doubt, knows something about Mr. Mackenzie's experience, and he is not made of sterner stuff than that hardy old Scotchman, who worked his way up from the ranks. The Liberal tariff policy, which is the principal plank of the new platform, is exceedingly unsatisfactory, and we are greatly mistaken if it will please either the Liberal free traders or the Liberal protectionists.

As for the other questions that are agitating the public mind in the Dominion, Mr. Laurier's not by any means skilful avoidance of them is quite as conspicuous in the fully reported speech as it was in the synopsis. He would not touch the Manitoba School Question, and he was dumb on the Prohibition Question. This may have been prudent, but it was a degree of prudence which, in the opinion of many, a little more than borders upon pusillanimity.

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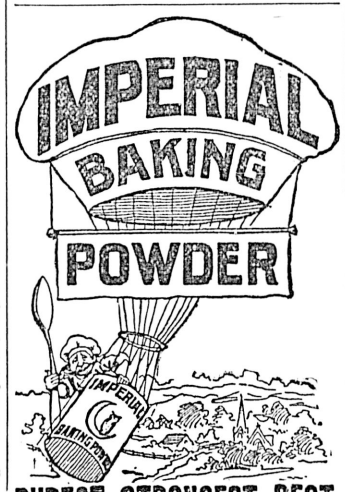

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CROSSED wires caused an alarm of fire from box 13 yesterday. There was no blaze.

A ZITHER club composed of four zithers, two guitars and a violin, has been formed in Victoria.

A SPECIAL meeting of the directors of the Jubilee hospital is to be held to-day to prepare for the annual meeting on Friday.

FLORIAN WALDECK, of embezzlement notoriety, left for St. Paul and the East, by the City of Kingston, yesterday evening.

THE divorce case of Russell v. Russell comes up again in the Supreme court to-day, when a motion will be made before Mr. Justice Crease for permanent alimony.

MR. JOSHUA DAVIES will sell by auction at the Four-Mile House to-morrow some first-class sheep, lambs, horses, graded Durham and Jersey cattle, farming implements, wagons, etc.

THE grand trip on the magnificent s.s. Islander on the 4th July will be the event of the season. The three trips will afford ample accommodation to all. Only a limited number of tickets will be sold.

IN the city Police court yesterday the case of Samuel, an Indian, charged with larceny, was remanded for one day, and Mr. S. Adams was fined $20 for an infraction of the Revenue Tax Act. He failed to pay the taxes of a number of Celestials to whom he gave employment. He will appeal.

VICTORIA WEST LODGE I. O. G. T. meet to-night. On Wednesday last a very enjoyable time was spent by the members at the moonlight picnic, and to-night a good time is expected, as members of other lodges of the order will be made welcome to Victoria West.

A MEETING of the Vancouver Island Building Society was held in Sir William Wallace hall last evening, when the usual drawing for a $2000 appropriation took place. Mr. H. K. Prior was the fortunate winner, with share No. 201. Messrs. C. Booth, Geo. Gawley and J. L. Smith were the committee.

THE Companions of the Forest will give an invitation dance and social at Companion Mrs. Marshall's Gorge hotel, on Friday evening next. Boats will leave McIntosh's boat house, James Bay bridge at 7:30 on that evening, the ladies will provide the edibles. Members of the Ancient order of Foresters and their lady friends are invited.

A PECULIAR case will be heard in the city Police court during the present week, in which Annie Terry is prosecutrix and A. E. McEacheran defendant. Mrs. Terry alleges that the defendant boarded with her, and being seven days in arrears she seized his trunk, which he regained possession of by threatening to burn down her house over her head.

THE Port Townsend Leader says: Thirteen contraband Chinamen are said to have landed at the Hoadley wreck from a smuggling steamer early Sunday morning. The agent who arranged for their embarkation at Victoria and subsequent landing at this port, was seen and recognized here on Saturday. He is a well-known Victoria smuggler, and is said to have while drunk openly boasted that he would dump his cargo of living freight before daylight on Sunday. That he succeeded in so doing can be attested by at least a dozen responsible people who saw the Celestials after they had left the steamer which brought them.

THE cases of Croft v. Bourchier et al and Croft v. Hamlin, Bourchier & Co., were up yesterday for trial in the Supreme court before Mr. Justice Drake, Mr. E. V. Bodwell, of Bodwell & Irving, appearing for the plaintiff; Mr. D. M. Eberts, Q.C., and W. J. Taylor, for the defendant. The actions are to recover the amounts of several promissory notes signed by Hamlin, Bourchier & Co., in favor of the plaintiff, Henry Croft. The defence set up by one of the defendants, Mr. L. B. Hamlin, is that the notes were signed by Francis Bourchier who, though a partner of the firm, had no right to sign the firm name. The trial will be continued at 11 o'clock this morning.

THERE was one feature more noticeable than others to those present at the strawberry social given by the young people of the Calvary Baptist church in their school room last evening and that was that the programme for the evening's entertainment was so arranged that those present could enjoy themselves in more than one way. Small tables with pretty white coverings and bearing each a nice bouquet of flowers, were arranged around the schoolroon for the accommodation of those desirous of having a dainty little repast, while in corners to the right and left of the platform were stalls. At one of these was sold strawberries and cake, ice-cream, lemonade, etc., while in the other, which was presided over by Mrs. Atherton, ladies fancy needlework of various descsiptions was offered for sale. Mr. Burnett, the St. Andrew's Presbyterian church organist, contributed largely to the evening's entertainment by giving a number of fine selections on the piano. The social was in aid of the Ladies fund for mission work and a good sum was realized.

A LARGE number of ladies, members of St. John's Guild, were busy all yesterday afternoon at St. John's school making preparations for the sale of work this afternoon, to be followed by an entertainment in the evening. There are a large number of articles to be disposed of, and the ladies are hoping for a good attendance. If the weather be fine, tea and refreshments will be served on the Rectory lawn, where there will be seating accommodation and plenty of shade, so that the guests may have a pleasant outing. The concert in the evening promises to be an unusually good one, a first-class programme having been arranged, as follows: Grand selection, "Il Trovotore," violin quartette by young ladies, accompanied by St. John's school orchestra, under the leadership of Prof. Haynes; song, Mr. Monro; banjo and guitar solo, Messrs. McDowell and Agnew; recitation, Miss N. Powell; quartette, male voices; song, Miss O'Neil; interval of 15 minutes; quartette, male voices; song, Miss Mouat; guitar solo, Mr. Agnew; song, Mr. Perfect; grand potpourri, "O fair dove, O fond dove;" by young ladies. The sale of work will commence in the afternoon at 2 o'clock, the concert at 8 o'clock in the evening.

THERE are on exhibition at the Poodle Dog restaurant, Yates street, half a dozen prime strawberries weighing in all 1 lb 1 oz. They were grown by Mrs. Ashley, Esquimalt road, and are a credit to her garden.

RESIDENTS on Tolmie avenue and those who use that thoroughfare in their daily business are very anxious to have the road put in proper condition. At present it is full of ruts and holes, so that in wet weather it is almost impassable.

THE prisoner-patient Day, who escaped from the Royal Jubilee hospital a few night's ago, is still at large. A rumor in town yesterday was to the effect that the missing man is in Seattle. A passenger by the City of Kingston reports having seen him there on Monday.

AN election and meeting to choose a site for the new school house for Lake district was held yesterday, Rev. Mr. Wilson kindly allowing the use of his house for the purpose. Mr. Robt. Porter was chosen chairman and Messrs. McNeill and Jennings returning officers. A great deal of interest was manifested in the proceedings. The vote stood as follows: For Wilkinson estate, 25; for Strawberry Vale, 30; a majority of five in favor of Strawberry Vale.

THERE was a good turnout of No. 2 Battery, B.C.G.A., at the Market hall last night, and after drill by Lieut. Sargison the following promotions and appointments were announced: Corp. J. Hutcheson to be sergeant; Gunners Langster, Keith and Middleton, to be corporals. The battery will meet again on Thursday evening, and on Friday the full corps will be called together to start for Vancouver, where they will participate in the celebrations of Dominion Day. No. 3 Battery will parade to-night, when great-coats will be issued to all who have not yet been supplied. Those who have already obtained them are requested to bring their coats with them for inspection.

A QUIET, unpretentious funeral, was that which, in accordance with the wishes of the deceased, was yesterday afternoon given to the late J. S. Brocklehurst. At the family residence, Hillside avenue, a number of friends gathered to take part in the removal from the home which he had loved of the remains of the deceased, and warm and sincere were the expressions of sincere condolence that were made with the bereaved widow. The journey being a long one, by the time the cathedral was reached the number of attendants had materially decreased. Service was most impressively performed by Rev. Canon Beanlands, after which the cortege moved off towards Ross Bay cemetery, the place of interment. The pallbearers were Messrs. John Kinsman, William Batchelor, J. Robertson, William Andean, J. E. Thomas and J. W. Winnett.

THE first session of the sixth Synod of the Diocese of British Columbia will be held this week, beginning on Thursday. At 8 a.m. there will be celebration of the Holy Communion at Christ Church Cathedral. At 10 a.m. there will be matins and communion, with a sermon by Ven. Archdeacon Scriven, after which the Synod will assemble for business. On Tuesday evening of next week a public meeting will be held in the interests of Diocesan work. The Synod meeting is a particularly important one, as it will be the first one attended by Rt. Rev. Bishop Perrin. It is probable, also, that among other matters for discussion will be that of the admission of St. John's church to the Synod. Representatives will be here from the various parishes in the Diocese, including Alert Bay, Chemainus, Comox, Cowichan, Metchosin, Nanaimo, Northfield, Saanich, Salt Spring Island and Wellington, besides the city and district churches.

ONE need but have witnessed or attended the funeral of the late William A. Campbell yesterday afternoon to realize that the deceased had been fortunate in the possession of many friends. His coffin was literally hidden beneath floral wreaths, etc., by the time it reached its last resting place. The funeral left the family residence on North Park street at 2:30 o'clock, and proceeded to Calvary Baptist church, where the pastor, Rev. J. E. Coombs, and Rev. P. H. McEwen, of Emmanuel church, conducted the solemn services, which were listened to with interest by the Orange lodge, No. 1426, of which society the deceased had been a prominent member. Those who sent floral gifts were as follows:—Captain and Mrs. J. G. Cox, cross; Captain and Mrs. W. Grant, wreath; Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Fee, pillow; Mrs and Miss McDowell, cross; Miss Collis, anchor and star; Messrs. Disher and Campbell, anchor; Mrs. E Andrews, pillow; Mrs. C. W. Anderson, sickle. Mrs. and Miss Herd, wreath; Mrs W Cox, bouquet; Mrs C. Cox, bouquet; Mrs. Kelly, bouquet; Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Bechtel, wreath; Mrs. H. J. Johnson and family, wreath; Mrs. L. B. Woods, cross and anchor; Douglas Campbell, bouquet; Mr. and Mrs. Butcher, basket and cross; Miss Tillie Stewart, lily; Mrs. Howell, bouquet; Miss Gibson, cross; Mr. J. B. Jones, wreath; Mrs. Coombs, wreath; Mr. and Mrs. Huggett, wreath; Mrs. Partridge, wreath; Hilda and Percy Huggett, wreath; Mr. and Mrs. Robinson, wreath; L O Lodge, No. 1426, star, anchor and crown; Mr. and Mrs. A. J Clyde, wreath; Miss Amy Humber, bouquet; Mrs. Stewart, bouquet; Mr. and Miss Stewart, wreath; Mr and Mrs. W. Savory, basket; Mr. and Mrs. Braden, star: Mr. Frank Baines, cross; Mr. and Mrs. J. Cox, wreath; Mrs. McDougall, bouquet and cross; Miss Whittaker, wreath and bouquet; Mrs. M. R. Smith, cross, Miss Grace Andrews, wreath and cross; Sergt. Walker, wreath and bouquet.

THE palatial steamer Islander will make the following trips to Port Angeles on the 4th: Leaving Victoria at 8 a.m., 1:30 p.m., and 6 p m; leaving Angeles at 11 a.m., 4 p.m., and 9 p.m. Fare for the round trip, by way of comparison, is placed at half the electric car rates, being only 50 cents. Members of the Port Angeles Caledonia Society have been communicated with, and will, no doubt, visit Victoria on that day. This fine salt water outing will, in combination with various picnics and the convenient hours at which the steamer is to be run, afford every one a chance to visit Angeles and return in time for the picnics.

DEATH BY DROWNING.

Charles Fisher, Proprietor of the Globe Hotel, Esquimalt, Ends His Existence.

An Inquest Necessitated, Though Business Troubles are Believed to Have Prompted to Suicide.

Charles Fisher, proprietor of the Globe hotel, Esquimalt, came to his death last night by drowning, and an inquest into the circumstances of the sad case will be held to-day by Coroner Hasell. The general opinion is that Mr. Fisher threw himself into the water from the end of the public wharf with the intention of self-destruction, though it is possible that the case was one of accident.

Mr. Fisher had, with his wife, who feels deeply her sad bereavement, returned only recently from Harrison Hot Springs, where he had been for the benefit of his health and had been subject to fits of depression of late, financial troubles being ascribed as the cause. Last evening he was chatting with his wife and a guest at the house until about 9:30, when he left them and, going out, walked to the end of the pier, climbing around the wharf gates, which are locked at night. A short time afterwards John Young and Ed. Williams noticed the body, which they at first took to be a canoe, floating close to the pier. They recognized it, and, running to the hotel, notified Constable Campbell, who was sitting on the verandah.

A boat was procured and not ten minutes after Mr. Fisher had left his house, the body was secured. It could not be lifted into the boat, so, being careful to keep the head above water, it was towed to shore and there the police officer and friends attempted all ordinary means of resuscitation, while awaiting the arrival of Dr. Ward of H M.S. Champion. The doctor devoted fully two hours more to the task, but it was a hopeless one.

The deceased, who had been in business in this province for a number of years, was a native of Nova Scotia. Always ready to oblige he made many friends among the ummer visitors to Esquimalt, and will be missed by a large circle of acquaintances.

EVANGELISTIC WORK.

Mr. E. Arrowsmith, of London, Eng., Conducts a Series of Services.

Mr. E. Arrowsmith, of London, England, who has been in this country for some months past conducting services in connection with the Children's Mission, commenced operations in Victoria yesterday, when he had a conference with local Christian workers and members of the Scripture Union, in the parlors of the Y.M C.A. Those present undertook to exert themselves on behalf of the mission work, and at four o'clock in the afternoon a number of children, with their relatives and friends, listened to an able and entertaining address. In the evening Mr. Arrowsmith had an opportunity of meeting a much larger audience in the same building. He is a very able and earnest speaker, and one who talks in no measured strains. He spoke of the good work being done among the children in the Old Country, and urged upon his auditors the great importance of early winning the young hearts to God. He avowed his utter surprise at finding that the Bible was excluded from the public schools of this Province, and said that this in itself should incite Christians to more earnest exertions on behalf of the spiritual wants of the little ones. When the child was young the heart was pure and impressionable. While conducting a series of services in Ontario he went, he said, through one of the public schools, and when the children were asked if they had attended his services, all in the junior classes held up their hands, but in the senior classes there was not a hand up Mr. Arrowsmith proceeded to censure people for their apathy in the cause of religion, adding:

"There are many of you professing Christians who have never opened your mouth on behalf of your Saviour—many, even Sunday school teachers, who have never led a little soul to Jesus."

He proceeded to say that the cause of failure was that they had not themselves truly accepted Christ as their Saviour. He spoke of the ghastly hypocrisy he had discovered among professing Christians—men and women who took an active part in church affairs—humbugs, hypocrites, deceivers. The address was full of anecodote, and, although severe, was earnest. Mr. Arrowsmith concluded by announcing that he would hold two more services for children this afternoon—one at 3 o'clock, the other at 4—and appealed to all present to make a personal canvass, so that the room might be well filled with the dear little ones. There will also be a meeting for adults at 8 o'clock in the evening The evening services will be continued to-morrow and Friday, commencing at 8:30.

THE SLOCAN.

Interesting News from the Mines—Valuable Ore Discoveries—Development Work—Railway Communications.

(From the Post-Intelligencer.)

Dr. E. C. Kilbourne has returned from the Slocan mining district and tells of much development work and the discovery of valuable bodies of ore there. To a reporter he said: "The Washington is looking the finest and most work is being done on it. It has four feet of solid, clean shipping ore running over 120 ounces of silver and 70 per cent. lead, besides eight to ten feet of concentrating ore. The Blue Bird has eight to eighteen inches of ore running 129 ounces. The Bonanza King, of the Noble Five group, has eight to twenty four inches of shipping ore, and about 1,000 sacks on the dump. The Alpha, Grady's claim, shows in the tunnel four feet of clean ore, some running as high as 200 ounces. The Mountain Chief has six to twelve inches of ore, averaging 111 ounces, and has recently struck a chute running into the thousands of ounces to the ton.

"The Northern Belle has ten to twenty-four inches of shipping ore and one to four feet of concentrating ore, and has one of the longest chutes of any mine in the camp, running about 100 ounces in silver. The Lucky Jim was supposed to be no good, as all the work done last winter had shown no ore, so work was to be stopped on Saturday. But on Saturday night a telegram was received from the superintendent saying that they had struck ten feet of ore. The Alamo shows up two feet of solid ore of low grade. These are the mines on which most work has been done, but they are not shipping yet, as the road from Bear Lake to Kaslo is being repaired, but they will begin in two or three weeks. There is still from three to ten feet of snow, and I walked six miles on it, but it is melting very fast.

"There will soon be a railroad right into the district, for the Nelson & Fort Sheppard is being pushed right along, work being carried on from both ends and other points, and it will be finished by October. I got it very straight that the Canadian Pacific will build from Revelstoke down the Arrow lakes, and from Nakusp to New Denver, on Slocan lake. The part of the line from Nakusp to New Denver will be built first, and connection made with it by steamer on the Arrow lakes. The contract for clearing the first five miles of the right of way of the Kaslo-Slocan road has been let, and I heard that the Canadian Pacific had made an offer of $100,000 for its charter, which was refused."

SPORTS AND PASTIMES.

"Champions" Beat "C" Battery at Cricket—Jockey Killed on the "'Frisco" Track.

There will be a meeting of the Union and Victoria Gun Clubs at room 23, Five Sister block, to-night at 8 o'clock sharp. Business, to receive report of tournament and to pick the teams to represent the clubs at Vancouver on Dominion Day.

CRICKET.

CATHEDRAL V. ALBIONS.

A match between the above mentioned teams will be played this afternoon on the Albions grounds, the game starting at 3:45 by which time it is hoped, that all players will be on the field. The Christ Church Cathedral Choir C.C. will be represented by Rev. J. B Hewetson (captain), J. E. Martin, J. Kingham, R. H. Johnston, E P. Johnston, W. Williams, A. S Aspland, J. F. Foulkes, C. Berkeley, A. Goward, and Lieut. J. Marchant. Reserve, K. Wollaston.

BATTERY V. "CHAMPION."

On Monday a return match was played between "C" Battery and H M.S. Champion, ending in a win by ten wickets for the Champion.

"C" Battery.

1st Innings.		2nd Innings.	
Capt. Benson b Prentis.	2	b Prentis	5
Bom. Shaw b Gibbons.	0	b Gibbons	0
Gr. Hughes ht w. Gibbons	2	b Gibbons	10
Major Peters ct Benwell, Gibbons	10	ct Marchant, Gibbons	7
Capt. Ogilvie b Prentis	0	ct Knight, Gibbons	0
Col. Holmes b Prentis	3	ct & b Gibbons	0
Gr. Bridgeford ct Benwell, Gibbons	3	ct Knight, Prentis	0
Gr. Swinyard, run out	5	b Gibbons	0
Gr. Smythe b Gibbons.	1	b Gibbons	1
Gr. Slade, not out	4	run out	9
Gr. Davies b Prentis	0	not out	0
Byes	1	Extras	3
Leg byes	2		
Total	33		35

H.M.S. Champion.

1st Innings.		2nd Innings.	
Mr. Prentis, run out	11	not out	3
Lt. Gibbons b Swinyard	21		
Born Glover ct Peters, Swinyard	5	not out	13
Lt. Nuzent b Benson	0		
Lt. Marchant b Benson	0		
Mr Mitchell b Benson.	0		
Mr. Knight b Benson	0		
Capt. Rooke ct Peters, Benson	3		
Sub-Lt. Benwell b Benson	0		
Reids ct Hughes, Swinyard	3		
Lt Fowler, not out	8		
Byes	7		
Total	58		16

THE TURF.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 27.—In the second race of the summer meeting on the Bay District track this afternoon—a five furlong dash—seven horses started. "Called Late," ridden by Jockey Ristine, came down the stretch hugging the inside rail. He was wearing blinders, which, becoming unfastened, blinded the horse, and he fell over the fence, rolling over his jockey, who was picked up and found to have badly fractured his skull, receiving other injuries from which he died to-night.

HERE AND THERE.

The Wanderers, at a special meeting last evening, considered the invitation of the Vancouver C. C. for Dominion Day, and decided to go over in a body.

MARINE MOVEMENTS.

Skeena River Cannery Operations—Chinamen Poisoned By Eating Mussels.

The steamship Princess Louise, Capt. Roberts, arrived in from the North yesterday, bring a small freight and the following passengers: Miss Hall, R. Cunningham, J. N. Adams, Rev. Stephenson and J. E. Wilson. All the canneries on the Skeena river and nearly all in the North are now in operation. Most of the former had each about 700 cases of salmon up when the Louise left. In one haul, on Saturday last, Mr. J. Rude, of the Lowe Inlet cannery, caught 2,000 salmon, which is considered an extra large catch. Two Chinese corpses arrived down from Rivers Inlet on the Louise for transhipment to China. The two Chinamen had, it is said, come to their death through eating poisoned mussels.

MARINE NOTES.

In the report of the steamer Spinster's cruise, published in yesterday's COLONIST, an erroneous statement was made that the vessel carried passengers. She only carried those who chartered her.

The San Francisco steamer Walla Walla arrived from California yesterday morning with 174 2 5 tons of freight and thirty cabin passengers for Victoria.

The Nanaimo tug Estelle arrived down from the Black Diamond city yesterday with a scow load of coal.

ENTERED.

Str. Islander ..... from Vancouver.
" City of Kingston..... " Port Townsend.
" Walla Walla..... " San Francisco.
" Estelle ..... " Nanaimo.
" Princess Louise..... " Port Simpson.
Sloop Champion ..... " Sooke.

CLEARED

Str. Islander..... for Vancouver.
" City of Kingston..... " Port Townsend.
" Walla Walla..... " " "
Sloop Champion ..... " Sooke.

Transcontinental Railway Rates.

CHICAGO, June 27.—The General Passenger Agent of the Great Northern, Northern Pacific, and Union Pacific, will hold a conference on Friday morning to discuss the reductions recently made from and to the Pacific Coast, and endeavor to adjust the matter. The settlement rests entirely with the Great Northern, as that road has been making all the aggressive reductions. If it is ready to quit the other roads will do the same. The meeting of the Northern Passenger Association, called for to-day, was to consider the Great Northern reductions exclusively, and as no action could be taken pending the meeting of the Transcontinental lines, on Friday, the meeting adjourned until Friday afternoon.

Owing To

The very backward season we have decided upon clearing out our stock of Ladies' and Children's Jackets and Mantles at whatever price they will bring, without regard to cost, and as our variety is large, this will be a splendid opportunity to get a summer wrap. HENRY YOUNG & Co.
The White House. *

SPENCER'S

Summer : Sale

—WILL CONTINUE—

MONDAY AND TUESDAY ONLY.

Boys' Suits.
Girl's Galatea and Serge, Trimmed Braid.
Ladies' Capes; new this Season.
Ladies' Spring Jackets and Mantles.

All Will Be Marked at Prices that Will Clear.

D. SPENCER,
Government Street.
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PERSONAL.

Miss S. Jackson left for Portland last evening.

J. Wardroper and wife leave for Europe on Saturday.

H. Bornstein returned from the Mainland last evening.

Rev. A. E Green came over from the Sound yesterday.

P. de Niermont, of Paris, is a guest at the Hotel Driard.

Superintendent of Indian Affairs A. W. Vowell is back from the Mainland.

Mrs. E. Day Twiss and the Misses Twiss left Tuesday morning for Shawnigan.

A. McQueen, of Vancouver, and C. M. Duncan, of Denver, are at the Driard.

Alex. Maum, J. E Clifton and Geo. Newcomb, of Tacoma, are at the Victoria.

B. Springer came over from Vancouver last evening, and is registered at the Driard.

James Collcutt, of Vancouver, and Robert Kennedy and family, of Vancouver, are at the Victoria.

D. R. Young left for Vancouver yesterday morning to close up an important real east "deal."

Miss T. Noltemier, of San Francisco, arrived in town yesterday. She is on a visit to Mrs. Aaron Lewis.

Mrs. W. J. Qinlan returned from California yesterday. She was a passenger on board the Walla Walla.

Miss McLeod left last evening for San Francisco, Miss Wood accompanying her. She will be gone about two weeks.

Railway Rate War.

ST. PAUL, June 27.—The transcontinental rate war begun by the Great Northern a week ago promises to be the bitterest in the history of railways in the West. It is learned from General Passenger Agent Kerr, that the Canadian Pacific is going to enter the lists with a rate as soon as the Soo extension is finished. The connection with the Canadian Pacific will be at Estaven, fourteen miles north of the Canadian line. Upon the completion of the extension the Canadian Pacific train will run to St. Paul and thence to the main line at Sault Ste. Marie. It is rumored again to-night that the Great Northern will make a rate of $20 from St. Paul to Seattle.

$3 Worth of Hood's

Cured When Others Failed

Salt Rheum or Psoriasis—Severe Case

Mr. N. J. McCoun
Kingsley, Iowa.

"In 1879 I had an eruption appear on my left leg and arm. Sometimes it would ulcerate and on account of it I was unable to work a great deal of the time. I had seven doctors examine and treat me without success. Some called it psoriasis, some eczema, some salt rheum and one knowing one called it prairie itch. All the doctors in the county had a trial but none did me a particle of good. I spent all my spare money trying to get relief. Finally I was persuaded to try Hood's Sarsaparilla. After using one and a half bottles I saw the benefit. I have now used the third bottle and am **completely cured.**

HOOD'S Sarsaparilla CURES

I received more benefit from three dollars' worth of Hood's Sarsaparilla than from the hundreds of dollars paid for advice and other medicine. Any one suffering from skin trouble will surely get relief in Hood's Sarsaparilla." N. J. McCOUN, Kingsley, Iowa.

We Know This to Be True

"We know Mr. N. J. McCoun; saw his leg and arm before taking Hood's Sarsaparilla and know he was terribly afflicted; now he is cured."

"E. H. BANKS, Druggist, "D. A. OLTMANN,
"J. P. GASPAR, "R. B. ELLIS,
"C. C. BARUER, Kingsley, Iowa.

Hood's Pills are the best after-dinner Pills, assist digestion, cure headache. Try a box.

AUCTION SALES.

JOSHUA : DAVIES
AUCTIONEER
—I AM INSTRUCTED TO SELL BY—
Public Auction
—AT THE—
FOUR MILE HOUSE,
In the Estate of the late Elizabeth Conway on
Thursday, June 29, 1893
AT TWELVE O'CLOCK NOON,
Live Stock and Farming Implements, consisting of
10 Horses,
30 Milch Cows,
120 Sheep,
30 Lambs,
Heavy Wagon,
2 Lumber Wagons,
1 Spring Wagon,
3 Buggies,
1 Phaeton,
1 Mower,
1 Reaper,
2 Plows,
Harness, Etc,
TERMS AT THE SALE.
je20-td

JOSHUA DAVIES, AUCTIONEER
Has received instructions from Robert Williams, Esq., who is giving up house-keeping, to sell by
PUBLIC AUCTION
At his residence, corner of Birdcage Walk and Belleville street, on
THIS DAY
At 11 o'clock, the balance of his
FURNITURE AND EFFECTS,
COMPRISING:
English dining table, English walnut arm chair, other tables, chairs, several pictures, bureaus, chest of drawers, folding iron bed, mattresses pillows, bed covering, mirror, stoves, kitchen utensils, glassware, crockery, carpenter's tools, garden tools and other goods, which may be seen on the morning of the day of sale.
TERMS CASH.
JOSHUA DAVIES,
je25-td AUCTIONEER.

AUCTION SALE
—OF HERD OF THOROUGHBRED—
JERSEY CATTLE
Auctioneer Trapp has been favored with instructions from W. J. Moggridge, Esq., of Belle Meade Farm, near Blaine, B. C., to sell by Public Auction, his entire herd of Jersey Cattle; all of which are Pedigreed Animals and duly registered. The Sale will be held at
WESTMINSTER MARKET, FRIDAY, JUNLY 6, AT 2 P.M.
This will give an opportunity seldom offered to the public to secure first class animals for the improvement of Dairy Stock or of getting a really good Family Cow. Full particulars of pedigrees, &c. can be had of the Auctioneer, at New Westminster, or of the owner, on farm.
Terms of payment, six and twelve months, or 5 per cent. discount for cash
See Posters and Remember Date.
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SHERIFF'S SALE.
I HAVE SEIZED and will sell at Public Auction at the residence of R. Moose, near the corner of Yates and Quadra, under a landlord's warrant of distress, on Thursday, June 29th, at 11 o'clock, a large lot of well kept Furniture, consisting of 4 bedroom sets, wire mattrasses, blankets, sheets and comforts, pictures, carpets, stoves, kitchen utensils and other articles, which may be seen on morning of day of sale. Terms cash.
J. E. McMILLAN,
je27-3t Sheriff.

FOR SALE BY TENDER.
TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED BY THE UNDERSIGNED TILL
Wednesday, June 28, 1893,
For the purchase of the lease, license, bar fixtures and furniture, (including safe and cash register), dining-room and kitchen furniture and the contents of sixteen well-furnished bedrooms of the
ALHAMBRA HOTEL,
Cor. Carrall and Water Streets.
The lowest or any Tender not necessarily accepted.
Inspection of the premises can be made, and particulars obtained on application, to
EVANS, COLEMAN & EVANS,
Whetham Block, Cordova St.
je24-4t Vancouver, B. C.

National Electric Tramway & Lighting Co.,
Limited Liability.
An Adjourned Extraordinary General Meeting of the Shareholders will be held at the office, Store Street, on Wednesday Evening, June 28th, at 8 o'clock. OBJECT: To authorize a further loan upon the security of the property of the Company.
je25-td C. T. DUPONT, Secretary.

PIANOFORTE TUNING.
MR. A. F. OWEN
Pianoforte Tuner, from J. and J. Hopkinson, the well-known manufacturer of pianoforte, London, England; 12 years' experience. Particulars as to my ability may be had from the above firm. 3½ years with Goodwin & Co., Victoria.
Orders left at Hibben's Bookstore and Waitt's Music store. jal0

AMUSEMENTS.

THE ST. ANDREW'S AND CALEDONIA SOCIETY
—WILL HOLD THEIR—
ANNUAL GATHERING
—AT—
Caledonia Park, Beacon Hill,
—ON—
TUESDAY, 4th JULY.
The programme will consist of the Caledonian Games of Auld Scotia, the latest amusing Novelty Races, races for amateurs only, for which handsome Gold and Silver Medals are offered; and a grand tug-of-war.
In the evening Dancing on the spacious platform, will take place. The platform will be greatly improved and the best of music furnished.
The Grounds will be splendidly decorated, and during the evening illuminated. Refreshments can be had on the grounds.
Programmes of Sports, etc, will be published in a few days. Every lady on entering the Grounds will receive a ticket for the Grand Tombola, to be drawn after the conclusion of the Sports, the prizes for which will be on exhibition in the window of T. N. Hibben & Co., Government street.
Admission 50c.; Children under 12, 25c.
je18-td EDWIN C. SMITH, SECRETARY.

1871 DOMINION DAY 1893
CELEBRATION.
FIRST ANNUAL PICNIC
SONS OF ERIN
—AT—
CALEDONIA GROUNDS,
—ON—
Saturday, 1st July, 1893,
For the benefit of the British Columbia Benevolent Society.
ADMISSION, 50 Cts.; LADIES, 25 Cts.
Children under Ten years, Free.
Particulars and programme will be published.
je10 R. ACKLAND, Secretary.

The Ladies' Guild of St. John's Church,
Will hold a sale of work in the School House, Heraldstreet, on
WEDNESDAY NEXT, JUNE 28, 1893,
From 2 to 6 in the afternoon, and in the evening a Grand Concert, commencing at 8 o'clock.
ADMISSION TO CONCERT, 25c - TO AFTERNOON SALE, 10c.
je24-4t

ALL ABOARD!
THE METHODIST SUNDAY SCHOOLS OF THIS CITY WILL HOLD THEIR
ANNUAL PICNIC
In Porter's Field, Langford Plains, on
DOMINION DAY, JULY 1st.
First train leaves at 8:15 a.m.
A splendid programme of Athletic Sports has been arranged for the occasion.
TICKETS—For adults 75c, children 40c.
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VANCOUVER. Telephone 181. P. O. Box 505.
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SPARKLING
TABLE WATERS.
CLUB SODA WATER, SELTZER WATER, POTASS WATER, LITHIA WATER, GINGER ALE, GINGER BEER, LEMONADE, IRON PHOSPHATES, SARSAPARILLA, CREAM SODA, STRAWBERRYADE, LIME JUICE CORDIALS, CHAMPAGNE CIDER
ESSENCES, SYRUPS, BITTERS, &C.
SOLE AGENTS FOR
ST. ALICE MINERAL WATER
From the Celebrated Harrison Hot Springs. A Mild Aperient and Great Aid to Digestion. Sold by all Grocers and Druggists.
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NO. 35 FORT STREET.
The Latest Arrival of this Season's Millinery.
Miss Fowls begs to announce that she will be showing the above goods on
MONDAY, JUNE 19th, 1893,
Being the Latest Styles in French and English trimmed Millinery; with a choice assortment of Untrimmed Straws, Sailors, &c., suitable for the present season. All Trimmed Millinery will be marked at the Lowest Possible Prices.
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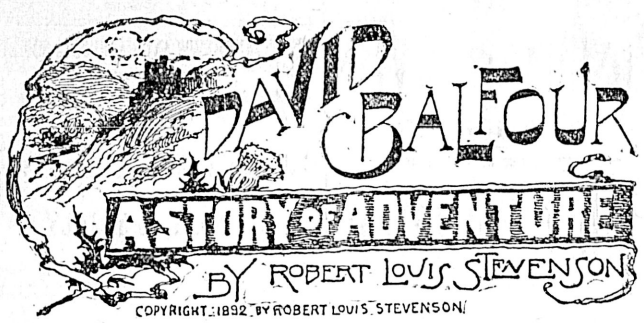
FLY FISHING.
★★★★
Lake Side Hotel
COWICHAN LAKE.
Stage leaves Duncans, Monday, Wednesday, and Friday; returning Tuesday, Thursday and Sunday, to catch afternoon train.
mc28-6m PRICE & JAYNES, PROP'S.

RUSS HOUSE,
Montgomery St., extending from Pine to Bush, San Francisco, containing 300 rooms. J. S. Young, proprietor. Business centre of the city, convenient to all banks, insurance offices and places of amusement. Terms, $1.50, $2.00 and $2.50 per day. Still lower terms for excursion and other large parties. Superior accommodations for families, at very moderate rates. Hotel coach in waiting at all boats and trains, to convey guests to and from the Hous free of charge. m12 tf

NOTICE.
During my absence from British Columbia Mr. Alex. J. Mouat, of the Transfer Co'y, Victoria, holds my full power of attorney.
G. BYRNES.
Victoria, April 4th, 1893. ap4-4m



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CHAPTER XXVIII.

WE MEET IN DUNKIRK.

"David, ye're an awful poor hand of a description."

Altogether, then, I was scarce so miserable the next days but what I had many hopeful and happy snatches; threw myself with a good deal of constancy upon my studies and made out to endure the time till Alan should arrive or I might hear word of Catriona by the means of James More. I had altogether three letters in the time of our separation. One was to announce their arrival in the town of Dunkirk in France, from which place James shortly after started alone upon a private mission. This was to England and to see Lord Holderness, and it has always been a bitter thought that my good money helped to pay the charges of the same.

But he has need of a long spoon who sups with the de'il or James More either. During his absence the time was to fall due for another letter, and as the letter was the condition of his stipend he had been so careful as to prepare it beforehand and leave it with Catriona to be dispatched. The fact of our correspondence aroused her suspicions, and he was no sooner gone than she had burst the seal. What I received began accordingly in the writing of James More:

MY DEAR SIR—Your esteemed favor came to hand duly, and I have to acknowledge the inclosure according to agreement. It shall be all faithfully expended on my daughter, who is well and desires to be remembered to her dear friend. I find her in rather a melancholy disposition, but trust in the mercy of God to see her re-established. Our manner of life is very much alone, but we solace ourselves with the melancholy tunes of our native mountains and by walking upon the margin of the sea that lies next to Scotland. It was better days with me when I lay with five wounds upon my body on the field of Gladsmuir. I have found employment here in the haras of a French nobleman, where my experience is valued. But, my dear sir, the wages are so exceedingly unsuitable that I would be ashamed to mention them, which makes your remittances the more necessary to my daughter's comfort, though, I dare say, the sight of old friends would be still better. My dear sir, your affectionate, obedient servant, JAMES MACGREGOR DRUMMOND.

Below it began again in the hand of Catriona:

Do not be believing him; it is all lies together. C. M. D.

Not only did she add this postscript, but I think she must have come near suppressing the letter, for it came long after date and was closely followed by the third. In the time betwixt them Alan had arrived and made another life to me with his merry conversation I had been presented to his cousin of the Scots-Dutch, a man that drank more than I could have thought possible and was not otherwise of interest; I had been entertained to many jovial dinners and given some myself, all with no great change upon my sorrow, and we two (by which I mean Alan and myself and not at all the cousin) had discussed a good deal the nature of my relations with James More and his daughter. I was naturally diffident to give particulars, and this disposition was not anyway lessened by the nature of Alan's commentary upon those I gave.

"I cannae make head nor tail of it," he would say, "but it sticks in my mind that ye've made a gowk of yourself. There's few people that has had more experience than Alan Breck, and I can never call to mind to have heard tell of a lassie like this one of yours. The way that you tell it the thing's fair impossible. Ye must have made a terrible hash of the business, David."

"There are whiles that I am of the same mind," said I.

"The strange thing is that ye seem to have a kind of a fancy for her, too," said Alan.

"The biggest kind, Alan," said I, "and I think I'll take it to my grave with me."

"Well, ye beat me, whatever!" he would conclude.

I showed him the letter with Catriona's postscript. "And here again!" he cried. "Impossible to deny a kind of decency to this Catriona, and sense forby! As for James More, the man's as boss as a drum; he's just a wame and a wheen words, though I'll never can deny that he fought reasonably well at Gladsmuir, and it's true what he says here about the five wounds. But the loss of him is that the man's boss."

"Ye see, Alan," says I, "it goes against the grain with me to leave the maid in such poor hands."

"Ye couldnae weel find poorer," he admitted. "But what are ye to do with it? It's this way about a man and a woman, ye see, Davie, the weemen folk have got no kind of reason to them. Either they like the man, an then a' goes fine, or else they just detest him, and ye may spare your breath—you can do naething. There's just the two sets of them—them that would sell their coats for ye, and them that never look the road ye're on. That's a' that there is to women, and you seem to be such a gomeral that he cannae tell which way it is."

"Weel, and I'm afraid that's true for me," said I.

"And yet there's naething easier!" cried Alan. "I could easy learn ye the science of the thing, but ye seem to me to be born blind, and there's where the difficulty comes in!"

"And can you no help me?" I asked, "you that's so clever at the trade?"

"Ye see, David, I wasnae here," said he. "I'm like a field officer that has naebody but blind men for scouts and eclaireurs, and what would ye ken? But it sticks in my mind that ye'll have made some kind of a bauchle, and if I was you I would have a try at her again."

"Would ye so, man Alan?" said I.

"I would e'en't," says he.

The third letter came to my hand while we were deep in some such talk, and it will be seen how pat it fell to the occasion. James professed to be in some concern upon his daughter's health, which I believe was never better; abounded in kind expressions to myself, and finally proposed that I should visit them at Dunkirk.

"You will now be enjoying the society of my old comrade, Mr. Stewart," he wrote. "Why not accompany him so far in his return to France? I have something very particular for Mr. Stewart's ear, and at any rate I would be pleased to meet in with an old fellow soldier and one so mettle as himself. As for you, my dear sir, my daughter and I would be proud to receive our benefactor, whom we regard as a brother and a son. The French nobleman has proved a person of the most filthy avarice of character, and I have been necessitated to leave the haras. You will find us in consequence a little poorly lodged in the auberge of a man Bazin on the dunes, but the situation is caller, and I make no doubt but we might spend some very pleasant days, when Mr. Stewart and I could recall our services, and you and my daughter divert yourselves in a manner more befitting your age. I beg at least that Mr. Stewart would come here; my business with him opens a very wide door."

"What does the man want with me?" cried Alan when he had read. "What he wants with you is clear enough—it's siller. But what can he want with Alan Breck?"

"Oh, it'll be just an excuse," said I. "He is still after this marriage, which I wish from my heart that we could bring about. And he asks you because he thinks I would be less likely to come wanting you."

"Well, I wish that I ken't," says Alan. "Him and me were never onyways pack; we used to grin at ither like a pair of pipers. 'Something for my ear,' quo' he. I'll maybe have something for his hinder end before we're through with it. Dod, I'm thinking it would be a kind of divertisement to gang and see what he'll be after! Farly, that I could see your lassie then. What say ye, Davie? Will ye ride with Alan Breck?"

You may be sure I was not backward, and Alan's furlough running toward an end we set forth together on a pair of reasonable good roadsters by the road of France.

It was near dark of a January day when we rode at last into the town of Dunkirk. By this time we had left our horses at the post and found a guide to Bazin's inn, which lay beyond the walls. Night was quite fallen, so that we were the last to leave that fortress and heard the doors of it close behind us as we passed the bridge. On the other side there lay a lighted suburb, which we thridded for awhile, then turned into a dark lane and presently found ourselves wading in the night among deep sand where we could hear a bullering of the sea. We traveled in this fashion for some while, following our conductor mostly by the sound of his voice, and I had begun to think he was perhaps misleading us when we came to the top of a small brae, and there appeared out of the darkness a dim light in a window.

"Voila l'auberge a Bazin," says the guide.

Alan smacked his lips. "An unco lonely bit," said he, and I thought by his tone he was not wholly pleased.

A little after, and we stood in the lower story of that house, which was all in the one apartment, with a stair leading to the chambers at the side, benches and tables by the wall, the cooking fire at the one end of it and shelves of bottles and the cellar trap at the other. Here Bazin, who was an ill looking, big man, told us the Scottish gentleman was gone abroad, he knew not where, but the young lady was above and he would call her down to us.

I took from my breast that kerchief wanting the corner and knotted it about my throat. I could hear my heart go; and Alan patting me on the shoulder with some of his laughable expressions, I could scarce refrain from a sharp word. But the time was not long to wait. I heard her step pass overhead and saw her on the stair. This she descended very quietly and greeted me with a pale face and a certain seeming of earnestness or uneasiness in her manner that extremely dashed me.

"My father, James More, will be here soon. He will be very pleased to see you," she said. And then of a sudden her face flamed, her eyes lightened, the speech stopped upon her lips, and I made sure she had observed the kerchief. It was only for a breath that she was discomposed, but methought it was with a new animation that she turned to welcome Alan. "And you will be his friend, Alan Breck?" she cried. "Many is the dozen times I will have heard him tell of you, and I love you already for all your bravery and goodness."

"Well, well," says Alan, holding her hand in his and viewing her, "and so this is the young lady at the last of it! David, ye're an awful poor hand of a description."

I do not know that ever I heard him speak so straight to people's hearts; the sound of his voice was like song.

"What? Will he have been describing me?" she cried.

"Little else of it since I ever came out of France," says he, "forby a bit of a speciment one night in Scotland in a shaw of wood by Silvermills. But cheer up, my dear! Ye're bonnier than what he said. And now there's one thing sure, you and me are to be a pair of friends. I'm a kind of a henchman to Davie here. I'm like a tyke at his heels, and whatever he cares for I've got to care for too—and by the holy nirn! they've got to care for me! So now you see what way you stand with Alan Breck, and ye'll find ye'll hardly lose on the transaction. He's no very bonnie, my dear, but he's leal to them he loves."

"I thank you with my heart for your good words," said she. "I have that honor for a brave, honest man that I cannot find any to be answering with."

Using travelers' freedom we spared to wait for James More and sat down to meat, we threesome. Alan had Catriona sit by him and wait upon his wants; he made her drink first out of his glass, he surrounded her with continual kind gallantries and yet never gave me the most small occasion to be jealous; and he kept the talk so much in his own hand, and that in so merry a note, that neither she nor I remembered to be embarrassed. If any had seen us there it must have been supposed that Alan was the old friend and I the stranger.

Indeed I had often cause to love and to admire the man, but I never loved or admired him better than that night, and I could not help remarking to myself (what I was sometimes rather in danger of forgetting) that he had not only much experience of life, but in his own way a great deal of natural ability besides. As for Catriona, she seemed quite carried away. Her laugh was like a peal of bells, her face gay as a May morning, and I own, although I was very well pleased, yet I was a little sad also, and thought myself a dull, storkish character in comparison of my friend, and very unfit to come into a young maid's life and perhaps ding down her gayety.

But if that was like to be my part, I found at least that I was not alone in it, for, James More returning suddenly, the girl was changed into a piece of stone. Through the rest of that evening, until she made an excuse and slipped to bed, I kept an eye upon her without cease, and I can bear testimony that she never smiled, scarcely spoke and looked mostly on the board in front of her. So that I really marveled to see so much devotion (as it used to be) changed into the very sickness of hate.

Of James More it is unnecessary to say much. You know the man already, and what there was to know of him; and I am weary of writing out his lies. Enough that he drank a great deal and told us very little that was to any possible purpose. As for the business with Alan, that was to be reserved for the morrow and his private hearing.

It was the more easy to be put off because Alan and I were pretty weary with our day's ride and sat not very late after Catriona.

We were soon alone in a chamber where we were to make shift with a single bed. Alan looked on me with a queer smile.

"Ye muckle ass!" said he.

"What do ye mean by that?" I cried.

"Mean? What do I mean? It's extraordinar, David man," says he, "that you should be so mortal stupit."

Again I begged him to speak out.

"Well, it's this of it," said he. "I told ye there were the two kinds of women—them that would sell their shifts for ye, and the others, just you try for yoursel', my bonny man! But what's that neepkin at your craig?"

I told him.

"I thocht it was something thereabout," said he.

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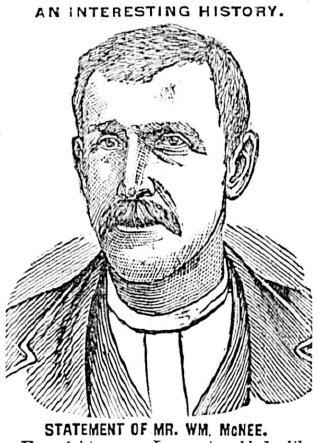

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"That the Company sell and dispose of its good will and undertaking, and the whole of its assets and property, both real and personal, except book debts, to 'The Victoria Phœnix Brewing Company (Limited Liability).'"

Should the resolution pass, further resolutions may be proposed and passed, as may be thought necessary to carry the said resolution into effect and settle upon the consideration for said sale.

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By Order of the Board.
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Fashion has fully and finally settled upon what are to be the styles for the coming summer. Those high sleeves that were such an agonizing anxiety to every one who wore a wrap or jacket (and who did not?) are shrunken, and now the favorite sleeve is a modified balloon, not too large nor too wide and often tied in around the upper arm. In any case the puffs fall instead of rise, and while the effect is to cause one to appear very broad shouldered they are far preferable to the others, which made one look humpbacked. It now requires only three yards to make a pair of sleeves, as against six while the high puffed gigot was offered us.

DESIGNS FOR NEW SUMMER GOWN.

The sleeves may be plain as far as trimming goes, or they may be trimmed as elaborately as is desired. Some have the whole forearm one mass of rich embroidery or beaded passementerie. Perhaps the favorite style is black and fine gold braid sewed on together in intricate patterns. This has the advantage of being suitable for almost everything.

I saw a most elegant dress of pale pink mousseline delaine made with sleeves like this, all braided with fine black braid and very narrow gold cord. The corselet was also covered with it. The skirt had but a plain gauffered ruffle with self heading. The upper part of the sleeves and waist was of the same delaine. Altogether it was a very taking gown for a young lady.

Another pretty design for a light woolen or silk gown is to have the sleeves embroidered or braided in black and gold up the outer arm and in three lines up the waist, the widest part at the bottom, tapering as it reaches the top. The collar and epaulets in the same work are effective, and it depends on the wearer's taste how it should be. There should be three rows in front—one down the center, the other two reaching to the top of the shoulder just where the sleeve sets in. The upper part of the sleeve is a plain balloon puff, not too large. The skirt can be made and trimmed to suit the wearer.

Another novel and well liked fancy in the making of light summer goods is seen in a model design of sky blue fayette, which is a most delicate and fleecy material of silk and wool and comes in all the light tints. This has a plain round skirt, with two bands of dark blue crepe de chine headed with row of wax pearl beads. The waist is made with the top of dark blue and a gathered lower part of the light blue cut in deep vandyke points, edged with the beads. The upper sleeve is puffed of the light, and the lower part is of the dark blue, and at the junction there is a band of beads. To wear with this dainty gown is a short camail made of blue reps of the exact shade as the dress and an upper cape of the crape with bead pendants. This camail is, however, suitable only for evening or afternoon visiting in carriages.

SUMMER GOWN AND CAMAIL.

Speaking of evening wraps reminds me of a sortie du bal that I saw last week. It was worn by a young lady of the highest family and consisted of a long circular cape made of gray eider-down flannel lined with pale pink silk. It reaches to the bottom of the dress. There is a capuchin hood to the neck, and this is bordered with gray coon-down and lined with the silk. I never saw a more really elegant wrap, though I have seen more costly ones. The material falls in heavy looking folds, and the garment is light as a feather, but cozily warm.

I observe quite an effort to revive the old time liking for Limerick laces and Irish poplin—at least for fall, if not now. There is no richer material than Irish poplin, nor anything more durable and satisfactory, and, by the way, nothing so miserable as French poplin. Irish poplin and Irish lace go together. The makers of the lace, and of the poplins, and the Irish linens, too, have not learned to cheat, and one gets actually what one pays for. The English, Scotch and Irish fabrics are all worth their price, but the same cannot always be said about the French goods. The French are so clever in finding means to make a little go a great way that their wares are always open to suspicion, most particularly their silks, which are thickened with glucose.

Our chemists buy their old silks for the quantity of a certain combination of glucose they can get out of them. When the garment made of these French silks or fine diagonal, whipcord or chevron has been worn a short time, the glucose in the fabric comes to the surface and takes on an exasperating shine that makes it look old and greasy and disreputable, and the worst of it is that there is no hope for it and no cure. So be cautious, ladies, in buying black silks or woolens to see that they are English, Scotch, Irish or American. I ought in justice to say that the Japanese, China and Turkish silks are also pure thread and will not grow shiny.

There is no table linen like the Irish, and the new designs for this season have surpassed any that I have seen before. It is thick, firm and of satin smoothness and finish. The patterns are made to match in napkins and tablecloths. One pattern consists of constellations of stars, with a border that looks like the Milky Way, so close are the stars in it. The others are scattered like those in the sky, and how it is done I cannot tell, but really the stars seem to shine on the surface. Another is a design of clover blossoms and leaves in natural size thrown lightly over the surface. The border is a thick growth of grass and clover blossoms, with bees hovering over it.

One design pleased me greatly. It was cherry blossoms with leaves and a somewhat conventional border of those delicate promises of luscious fruit. The weaving is so cleverly accomplished as almost to give color to the pure white thread. Some few of the newest tablecloths have an underlying tint like pale blue, buff or pink, and these tints are thrown upon the white surface, but dainty as they are they cannot compare with the pure white napery.

The decoration of dinner tables with colored satin bands, circles or breadths is about out of style, few using anything in the way of decoration beyond flowers and green leaves and perhaps fairy lamps hidden in green bowers.

Napkins come in three sizes—some 18, some 22 and some 26 inches square—a proper set consisting of a table cloth, with all around border three to four yards long, and three dozen napkins, one dozen of each size, to match; also two cake doilies and two bread covers. All these have the same pattern, large or small, as the article is in size. They are all tied up in bunches with ribbons and scented with lavender or sweet clover.

HENRIETTE ROUSSEAU.

New York.

Poet, Critic and Author.

Mrs. Alice Wellington Rollins, poet, critic and author, of New York, is a petite, charming woman who has been delighting the reading public for years

MRS. A. W. ROLLINS.

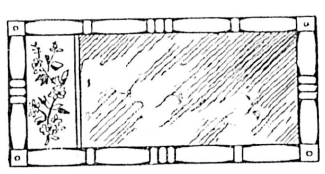
with the cleverness, variety and high quality of her work. She is extremely versatile, passing easily from a profound social study or an essay on some ethical problem to a light and graceful story for children, or from an exhaustive book review to a telling quatrain or short poem. Socially she is fascinating, and she is noted as a conversationalist.

Mrs. Rollins lives in the most idyllic domestic peacefulness in her apartments in the Cordova, overlooking Central park. Mrs. Rollins is a native of Boston. She was educated partly in this country and partly in Europe. She was married in 1876 to Mr. Daniel M. Rollins of New York and has one son. For seven years she was a regular contributor of reviews for The Critic. She has also furnished articles for many of the leading magazines and periodicals. Her books are "Uncle Tom's Tenement," "The Story of a Ranch," "The Three Tetons," "All Sorts of Children," "The Ring of Amethyst" (poems) and "From Palm to Glacier." Her poems are peculiarly deep and tender and are enshrined in the hearts of many readers.

MEL R. COLQUITT.

Old Fashioned Mirror.

Anybody who has an old fashioned looking glass in a frame with two compartments tucked away in the garret would do well to bring it down and make the most of it. Enamel the frame an ivory white and pick out the knobs and beading with gold paint. If the picture in the upper compartment is defaced or



too hideous to be tolerated, fit a piece of academy board in its place, on which may be painted in oils a spray of apple blossoms on a turquoise blue ground or any other delicately colored design. If the painted decoration is not desired, use instead a piece of heavy strawboard smoothly covered with pale china silk printed in a floral pattern. The frame may be enameled in pink or blue to match the fittings of the room where it is to hang.

T. E. D.

CHICAGO NOTES.

Unveiling of a Statue to Hon. Mr. Gladstone in Dublin Castle.

Sunday Opening not as Successful as Anticipated—Cow Boy Racers Arrive.

CHICAGO, June 27.—The unveiling of the colossal statue of Rt. Hon. William Ewart Gladstone in the banquet hall of Dublin Castle in the Irish village in the midway plaisance, was participated in by an audience that crowded the hall and packed itself on the lawn outside and in which there were many Irish representatives from all parts of the country. The statue, which is nine feet in height and stands on a 12-foot pedestal, is a fac simile of the one unveiled in front of Bow Street Church, London, in 1882, by Lord Carlingford, and is by the same sculptor, Arthur Bruce Jay, of London, who was present, and was introduced to the audience.

Mayor Carter Harrison presided over the exercises, and in the course of a vigorous address compared Bismarck and Gladstone. The Premier, he said, was the uncrowned king of England; Victoria was the Queen, but Gladstone was the king by the will of the people. He had been cursed by the English and damned by the Irish, but he was wiser than his opponents, and had aided them better than the Irish knew or ever imagined. Mrs. Hart then unveiled the statue amid cheers. The statue is nine feet high, and represents the grand old man in the act of speaking. Arthur Bruce Jay next spoke. Judge Moran was then presented, and paid a tribute to Gladstone as the foremost man of the nineteenth century. Mrs. Geneva Johnston Bishop sang "Come Back to Erin," and the exercises closed by Dr. Hart giving a sketch by Mrs. Hart on the work of the Irish peasants.

The admissions at the Fair on Saturday were 161,653, of which 32,804 were officials and employes and 7,728 children. On Sunday the admissions were 79,163, of which 17,135 were officials and employes and 3,277 children. The Sunday-openers must have been seriously disappointed at the small number of people who visited the World's Fair that day. The total admissions of those who paid was scarcely 40,000, and the White City had a quiet and deserted appearance. The Fine Arts building was about the only place in the great exposition where there was anything like a crowd. The attendance at the religious exercises at Festival hall, where Dr. Thomas preached, was not as large as anticipated, barely half the seats being occupied.

The first of the cowboy racers, John Berry, on the chestnut "Person," reached the World's Fair entrance at 9:30 a.m. today. He left Freeport, Ills., at 9:30 last night, and made the last 150 miles of the long race in twenty-four hours. Emmitt Albright came in second, arriving at 1:15. Albright made the last 146 miles in twenty-four hours. His horse is in fairly good condition.

REV. DR. M'GLYNN.

Why He Went to Rome—Archbishop Corrigan Must Provide Him a Position.

NEW YORK, June 27.—Rev. Dr. Patrick F. McSweeny, a personal friend of Dr. Edward McGlynn, who returned from Rome yesterday on the Werra, said in an interview: "Dr. McGlynn went to Rome because he was invited to do so. He went there as any good loyal priest would go on such an invitation that the Pope would have a talk with him. I don't know whether Dr. McGlynn will be restored to his old parish, or whether he would wish to go if it were offered him. He is now a pretty old man and perhaps would not like to take the care, inseparable from parish work. For thirty-five years he has labored and toiled with a single hearted devotion for the good of his flock. It was hard work. He might not wish to try a different line of labor. He is now a priest in good standing, attached to the church diocese of New York, and Archbishop Corrigan must provide for him. I think that he will offer the doctor a parish, or perhaps he may give the doctor about $1,000 a year, and let him choose his own work.

Mexico's Next President.

CITY OF MEXICO, June 27.—It is reported on good authority that General Diaz will not be a candidate for re-election as President of Mexico, and that the Government candidate will be General Reyes, the present governor of the State of Nuevo Leon. General Reyes is one of the most progressive and able officials in Mexico, and the State of Nuevo Leon made more rapid progress under his administration than any other State during the same period. He recently visited this city and held a long conference with President Diaz.

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10.15 am	28	..... Seattle.....	82	3.00 am
1.30 pm	72	. Port Townsend .	38	11.45 pm
4.30 pm	110	Ar....Victoria ... Lv	MI	8.30 pm

PORT TOWNSEND MAIL ROUTE.

	MI			
11.00 pm	28	Lv.....Seattle.....Ar	58	
12.30 am	35	.. Port Madison ..	47	2.10 pm
	45	.....Kingston.....	41	
3.00 am	49	...Port Gamble...	21	11.00 am
4.00 am	73	...Port Ludlow...	13	10.00 am
6.00 am	85	Ar..Pt. Townsend Lv	MI	8.00 am

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TIME TABLE No 18,

To take effect at 8.00 a.m. on Monday, May 1st, 1893. Trains run on Pacific Standard Time.

SOUTH BOUND (Read Up) No. 1 Passengr Daily		No. 3 Pass Fri. Sat. Sun.	STATIONS.	NORTH BOUND (Read Down.) No. 2 passengr Daily		No. 4 Pass Fri. Sat. Sun.
A.M.		P.M.		A.M.		P.M.
P.M.	MI	P.M.		A.M.	MI	P.M.
Ar 12.20	78	Ar 3.00	Victoria	De 8.00	78	De 3.05
12.10	77	2.50	.....	8.10	77	3.15
11.45	74	2.25	Russells	8.39	74	3.44
11.10	67	1.50	Esquimalt	9.11	67	4.16
10.50	63	1.30	Goldstream	9.31	63	4.36
10.40	60	1.20	Summit Siding	9.41	60	4.46
10.27	47	1.07	Shawnigan Lake	9.57	47	5.02
10.15	43	12.55	Cobble Hill	10.07	43	5.12
10.12	40	12.52	McPherson's	10.09	40	5.14
9.00	38	11.40	Koksilah	10.22	38	5.27
5.52	35	7.32	Duncan	10.48	35	5.53
5.32	26	7.12	Somenos	11.00	26	6.05
5.15	19	6.55	Chemainus	Ar 11.50	19	6.50
4.42	5	De 6.34	Oyster Bay Siding	De 11.59	5	Ar 7.07
4.30		De 8.10	Nanaimo	Ar 12.14		De 7.8
P.M.		A.M.	Wellington	P.M.		P.M.

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" Comox for Nanaimo, Friday, 7 a.m.
" Nanaimo for Victoria, Saturday, 7 a.m.

For freight or state rooms apply on board, or at the Company's ticket office, Victoria Station, Store street. fe4

C.P. Navigation Co., Limited.

TIME TABLE NO. 20

Takes effect June 1st, 1893.

Vancouver Route:

Victoria to Vancouver—Daily, except Monday, at 3 o'clock a.m.
Vancouver to Victoria—Daily, except Monday, at 15.15 o'clock, or on arrival of C.P.R. No. 1 train.

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For Plumper's Pass—Wednesdays and Fridays at 7 o'clock.
For Moresby and Pender Islands—Friday at 7 o'clock.
For Sidney—Wednesday, at 7 o'clock.
LEAVE NEW WESTMINSTER for Victoria—Monday at 15 o'clock; Thursday and Saturday at 7 o'clock.
For Plumper Pass—Thursday and Saturday at 7 o'clock.
For Pender and Moresby Islands and Sidney—Thursday at 7 o'clock.

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The Company reserves the right of changing this Time Table at any time without notification.

JOHN IRVING, Manager
G. A. CARLETON, General Agent.
Victoria, May 28th, 1893.

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(Foreign.)

Registered the 27th Day of May, 1893.

CERTIFICATE OF REGISTRATION.

THIS is to certify that I have this day registered the "Byron N. White Company" (Foreign), under the Companies Act, Part IV., "Registration of Foreign Companies" and the "Companies Act Amendment Act 18 9."

The objects for which the Company is established, are:—

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The amount of the Capital Stock of the said Company is Five Hundred Thousand Dollars, divided into one million shares of Fifty Cents each.

The place of business of the said Company is located at Nelson, Province of British Columbia.

In testimony whereof I have hereto set my hand and affixed my seal of office this 27th day of May, 1893, at the City of Victoria, in the Province of British Columbia.

C. J. LEGGATT, Registrar of Joint Stock Companies.
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WEDNESDAY, JUNE 28, 1893.

ASTRONOMICAL.

VICTORIA, June 28, 1893.
Sun rises.....4.14 a.m. | Sun sets.....7.52 p.m.
Moon sets 3:15 a.m.
Day of the year, 179th.
N.B.—The above calculations are based on mean solar time, which is 13m. 32s. *slower* than Victoria standard time.

THE THERMOMETER.

ESQUIMALT STATION, June 25, 1893.
Report for 24 hours ending 9 p.m.

1 a. m..	53°	Mean 56°	The velocity and direction of the wind were as follows:
5 a. m..	54°		
9 a. m..	57°	Highest 63°	5 a.m.—Calm.
1 p. m..	60°		1 p.m—16 S.E.
5 p. m..	58	Lowest 52	9 p.m.—Calm.
9 p. m..	55°		Rain—.00.

Average state of weather—Cloudy.

ESQUIMALT STATION, June 26, 1893.
Report for 24 hours ending 9 p.m.

1 a. m..	52°	Mean 56°	The velocity and direction of the wind were as follows:
5 a. m..	52°		
9 a. m..	56°	Highest 54°	5 a.m.—Calm.
1 p. m..	62°		1 p.m.—8 S.
5 p. m..	62°	Lowest 51°	9 p.m.—12 S.
9 p. m..	54		Rain—.00.

Average state of weather—Cloudy.

ESQUIMALT STATION, June 27, 1893.
Report for 24 hours ending 9 p. m.

1 a. m..	50°	Mean 56°	The velocity and direction of the wind were as follows:
5 a. m..	49°		
9 a. m..	57°	Highest 66°	5 a.m.—8 S.
p. m..	65°		1 p.m.—2 S.
5 p. m..	62°	Lowest 48°	9 p.m.—20 S.
9 p. m..	54°		Rain—.00.

Average state of weather—Fair.

E. BAYNES REED, Observer.

PASSENGERS.

Per Str. WALLA WALLA from San Francisco—H Rill, J Hyland, A Campbell, Lewis F Dunand, H Durst, H W Maxfield and wife, Mrs Allen, Mrs Quinlan, R W Whitten, John Franklin, A C Martin, Wm Glasford and two daughtefs, F Verchure, J Connoley, Mrs J C Hunter, Mrs B F Liggett, Miss N Madows, H W Bean, R H Carr, Mrs E B Touhif, C R Gurruy, Miss L Mathers, Miss M Mathers, Henry Mathers, E W McLain, Miss Wise.

Per CITY OF KINGSTON, from the Sound—Rev A E Green, H A Newman, M Groat, E E Groat, L Scott, F B Cooper, C Melrose and wife, J J Malone and wife, G Holmes, J M Wright, E M Duncan, J A Von Bokkelen, F W Shamer and wife, Thos Brown, R Way, Miss Hooper, Mrs R F Smith, Geo Beckingham, A Smith, R S Thompson, S Richards, M Goldberg, P V Wise, A W Beck, A W Engle, Mrs Harris, A Anderson, D Henderson, Jno Cullough, Mrs Conway and daughter, Jno Weymouth, Miss E Griggs, Mrs Cordin and son, H J Crawford J Cosetto, A Bocilier, S Angelino, W E Shaw, L Learey, J G Ray, C A Friedman, A Keating, A Bozier, A Hogue, J W Dempsey, C R Hill, M C Loreiman, H J Loreiman.

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CANADIANS IN CONGRESS.

Resolutions on the Manitoba School Question—A More Equitable Distribution of Funds.

Formation of an Alliance to Maintain Separate Schools and the French Language.

MONTREAL, June 27.—(Special)—The French Canadian National Congress closed its session to-day. Before the adjournment the following resolutions were adopted:

The Constitution of the Dominion of Canada having conserved the principles of separate schools, and having permitted them to have their schools, it is the duty of all French Canadians to strive for the maintenance of that principle;

That in conformity with that declaration we express our ardent hope for the success of the struggle which is now being waged by our co-religionists in Manitoba, to whom the constitution, by virtue of which this province entered the Confederation, assured the rights which the school legislation of 1890 has taken away from them;

That the education of children, being a matter which interests the whole of society, it is only just that the money raised for education be distributed according to the school population of the Catholics and Protestants of Canada.

The report of a committee submitting a scheme for the alliance of all French Canadian Societies in Canada was adopted. The alliance will embrace all the national societies, and its chief object will be to protect the interests of French Canadians, the maintenance of separate schools and the principles and the propagation of the French language.

A committee composed of the presidents of the various societies will shortly be in Montreal to establish the alliance.

Addresses were made by ex-Premier Mercier, J. Israel Tarte, M.P., and others.

CABLE NEWS.

Playing Before the Queen.

LONDON, June 27.—The Comedie Francaise Company performed before the Queen at Windsor this evening, Girardin's "Foi tait peur," and Melhai and Halves' "Ete de Martin."

Governor of Gibraltar Dead.

LONDON, June 27.—Gen. Nicholson, Governor of Gibraltar, died there of malarial fever yesterday.

French Parliamentary Elections.

LONDON, June 28.—The Paris correspondent of the Daily News says that the general Parliamentary elections in France will be held on August 20th.

The German Crops.

BERLIN, June 27.—Copious rains in several parts of the Empire have improved the prospects of the crops, notably those of potatoes. The rains have come too late, however, to save the hay. The Hesse Diet is discussing a vote of 3,000,000 marks to help sufferers from the drought. No special measure will be proposed in the Prussian Diet, as the provision made by the local authorities is expected to suffice.

Daly's New Theatre.

LONDON, June 27.—Augustin Daly's new theatre in Leicester square was opened to-night, the play is "The Taming of the Shrew."

Fighting on the Phillipines.

MADRID, June 27.—Advices from Manila show that a desperate fight has occurred on the island of Mindanas, the second largest of the Phillipine Islands. A force of 6,000 rebellious natives, under the leadership of their Sultan, made an attack upon Fort Mumungan on Mindanas. The Spanish garrison succeeded in repulsing the natives after a stubborn fight. The natives lost 87 killed, including the Sultan, while 300 of their number were wounded. The Spanish loss, if anything, is trifling.

Approved by the Bundesrath.

BERLIN, June 27.—The Bundesrath has approved the new Army Bill, which is said to be substantially the old bill modified on the lines of the Huen compromise. The bill will be laid before the new Reichstag immediately after the opening on July 4.

Military Anarchists.

ROME, June 26.—Many anarchist papers, leaflets and books have been seized in the barracks in Milan, Naples, Florence and Turin, within the last few days. The military authorities think that the matter has been smuggled into the barracks for months with the connivance of the non-commissioned officers. Many non-commissioned officers have been arrested on suspicion of having facilitated the accummulation of anarchistic literature, and several commissioned officers have been reduced to the ranks to punish them for their neglect.

Australian Failure.

MELBOURNE, June 26.—Goldsbrough, Mort & Co., bankers and merchants of this city, have suspended payment. Liabilities £2,500,000. They expect to resume business shortly.

French Hay and Oats.

PARIS, June 27.—The official statistics just published represent the oat crop as good in seven departments, fairly good in 12, satisfactory in 15, middling in 37, bad in 10. The hay crop is reported as good in five departments, fairly good in eight, satisfactory in 11, middling in 32 and bad in 28.

Russia and Germany.

BERLIN, June 26.—The German foreign office expects that Russia will forthwith open a commercial war against Germany. The officials attribute the failure of the negotiations between Russia and Germany to the French and Pan-Slavist influence in St. Petersburg.

Chinese and the Geary Act.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 27.—Admiral Harmony, recently relieved from the command of the Asiatic station, arrived this morning. He says great feeling exists along the Yang Tse Kiang river relative to the enforcement of the Geary Act. Most of the Chinese in this country belong to the country contiguous to that river and are kept advised by their brethren here. The admiral believes that when the deportation begins the outbreak against the Americans will commence. He ordered two gunboats to patrol the river.

Remember the children by presenting them with a prize, from Hibben & Co.'s.

Carpenter tools at Cheapside.

PROHIBITION.

What the Liquor Men of North Carolina Say to the People of South Carolina.

NEW YORK, June 27.—A Times special from Raleigh, N.C., says: The liquor dealers of North Carolina evidently intend to forestall and prepare for the agitation of any prohibition movement in this state or the enactment of such a law as that recently adopted in South Carolina. They have effected a state organization and elected as executive officers some of the most influential men in the trade. These are all, or nearly all, Democrats, and do not propose to antagonize the Democratic party in politics. In the constitution adopted by the association it declares that body shall take no part in politics. The adoption by South Carolina, under the influence of Tillman, of a law which gives the state absolute control of the liquor trade, has occasioned some fear that the same plan may be attempted here. The organization just completed will place the dealers in position to keep thoroughly informed should such a thing be attempted and in a position to resist it.

HONOLULU HAPPENINGS.

U. S. Minister Blount Wants to Come Home—Claus Spreckels' Libel Suit.

The Sugar King Down on the Provisional Government—Who Stole the Crown Jewels?

HONOLULU, June 19.—Minister Blount returned from his visit to Maui on June 11, tired out and disgusted, it is said, by efforts to make political capital out of his trip. Mr. Blount, on his arrival at Maui, was greeted enthusiastically by the natives, who held a meeting, at which speeches were made by native speakers. Mr. Blount responded in his usual non-committal style, and after that devoted his time to sightseeing. He has said that he would not reside in Honolulu permanently under any circumstances, and as he considers that his work here is finished, he is more than anxious to get away. The Government claims to have authentic information that Mr. Blount, with the exception of a few brief statements, has not yet made a report to the State department at Washington City as to the results of his investigations here, and that the report will not be sent on for two weeks.

Claus Spreckels has won the first skirmish in his fight against the Star, the annexationists' organ. Walter G. Smith, editor of the paper, has been held for trial to answer to the charge of criminal libel. Smith was released on $5,000 bail, and is again running the paper, but is letting Spreckels alone pending the result of the libel suit.

Spreckels is now avowedly on the warpath against the Provisional Government. The advisability of taking away from Spreckels the Oceanic Steamship Company mail subsidy of $1,000 a month and giving it to the Canadian Pacific or Pacific Mail is still being considered by the Government. Spreckels has been accused of offering to purchase arms for the Royalists, and extra guards will be put at outside ports to prevent their being landed.

The Star prints a revised list of the taxpayers who have taxes on property valued at $10,000 and over. According to the Star's figures, the people in favor of annexation pay taxes on property assessed at $23,500,000; the royalists on $2,300,000, divided $5,100,000, doubtful $1,150,000, Republican $270,000. The royalists dispute the correctness of these figures.

The man who stole the crown jewels has been discovered in the person of George Ryan, an ex-soldier of the provisional army, who was dishonorably discharged last month for misbehavior.

A special steamer arrived from Japan on June 18, with over 1,700 Japanese contract laborers, brought here to work on the sugar plantations.

MONTREAL MATTERS.

The Sunday Closing Law Openly Violated in the French Quarter—Increase of Steamship Service.

MONTREAL, June 27.—(Special)—Permission to open the saloons of the city on Sunday was refused by the Provincial Government; but in spite of this in the French portion of the city, the front doors of all of them were wide open. A strict investigation will be held into the matter. So many drunken men have never before been seen on the streets of Montreal in one day as were seen yesterday. There were several small fights in different parts of the city, but no arrests were made.

The ocean service between Montreal and Bristol is to be increased by the addition of a fourth steamer, the Dominion line finding this step necessary to meet the growing business.

H. M. S. VICTORIA.

Accident to Her Cutter at Nauplis—Admiral Tryon's Body Not Found.

LONDON, June 27.—A private letter written by a sailor on the Victoria and received here to-day relates that during torpedo practice near Nauplis, Greece, the Victoria's cutter ran into a torpedo and was sunk. The crew swam about until they were picked up by the Victoria's small boats. In a despatch dated June 26th, Rear Admiral Markham reports that Admiral Tryon's telescope and the despatch boat Cap were recovered but that the body had not been found. Admiral Markham has transferred his flag to the war ship Nile.

Adjourning Over the Fourth.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 27.—The San Francisco Produce Exchange and Call Board will adjourn on Friday afternoon until the following Wednesday morning. The Stock boards will take similar action.

Reduced Passenger Rates.

The Northern Pacific railroad takes pleasure in notifying its patrons that its rates to St. Paul, Chicago and points East are as low as by any and all other lines. Full particulars will be cheerfully furnished upon application to E. E. Blackwood, agent.

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Bank Inspection.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 27.—Bank Commissioner John Knight is still at work at the Pacific Bank. This forenoon he sent out word that no statement would be issued today, and nothing would be done until the other commissioners return to the city. He visited the People's Home Savings Bank this forenoon and took charge of that institution and counted the cash.

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By Order.
A. ST. G. FLINT,
Secretary.
Shares can be had by applying to the Secretary, at his office, 46 Fort street. je23-td

NOTICE.

THE Annual General Meeting of the Nelson and Fort Sheppard Railway Company will be held on Wednesday, the 12th day of July, 1893, at 11 a.m., at the office of the Company, 40 Government street, Victoria.
Dated 14th June, 1893.
HENRY S. MASON,
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Dated at Victoria, B.C., this 22nd day of June, A.D. 1893.
(Sg.) CARL STROUSS.
(Sg.) EMANUEL BLOOMINGDALE.
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